

# Board of Contract Appeals

General Services Administration  
Washington, D.C. 20405

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DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE: August 23, 2000

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GSBCA 15150-ST

JOHN H. TRIMBACH,

Appellant,

v.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,

Respondent.

Michael A. Gordon of Holmes, Schwartz & Gordon, Rockville, MD, counsel for Appellant.

Dennis J. Gallagher, Office of the Legal Advisor, Buildings and Acquisitions, Department of State, Arlington, VA, counsel for Respondent.

**HYATT**, Board Judge.

## ORDER

On October 29, 1999, appellant, Joseph H. Trimbach, filed an appeal of the contracting officer's denial of his claim for the amount of \$19,489.57 in connection with a contract to perform investigative verification services. In a telephone conference held on March 22, 2000, the parties stated they were exploring the possibility of settlement. On August 21, 2000, the Board received a letter from appellant's counsel stating that the matter had been settled and requesting that the appeal be dismissed.

Accordingly, this appeal is **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE**.

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CATHERINE B. HYATT  
Board Judge