

GRINNELL FIRE PROTECTION  
SYSTEMS COMPANY

CONTRACT NO. V514C-496

VABCA-5946,  
5947, 5948VA MEDICAL CENTER  
BATH, NEW YORK

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**ORDER OF DISMISSAL**

1. On June 29, 1999, the Board received Appellant's "election" to withdraw its appeals in VABCA-5946, 5947, and 5948; the Board considers this election as a request to withdraw the appeals. Appellant's request is **Granted** and the appeals of Grinnell Fire Protection Systems Company, under Contract No. V514C-496, VABCA-5946, 5947, and 5948, are hereby **Dismissed With Prejudice**.

2. With the dismissal of the appeals in VABCA-5946 and 5947; the Board's Order To Show Cause why those appeals should not be dismissed for lack of jurisdiction is hereby **Vacated**. The Board reminds the parties that the Board's Prehearing Order, dated June 23, 1999, remains in effect for the appeals in VABCA-5672 and 5859.

**It Is So Ordered**Date: **June 30, 1999**

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Richard W. Krempasky  
Administrative Judge