# SPECIAL MEETING OF THE OKLAHOMA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION

## ~APPEALS~

Friday November 9, 2017
1:30 p.m.
Commission Chambers
1915 N. Stiles Ave.
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
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### MINUTES

Members present: Chairman Mark Liotta, Commissioner Jordan Russell and Commissioner Megan Tilly.

Staff present to support the Commission: Lindsey Christopher, Dana Esparza and Monica Pack.

## STATEMENT OF OKLAHOMA OPEN MEETING LAW COMPLIANCE

Notice of this Regular Meeting was filed with the Secretary of State's office on Monday, October 13, 2017 at 8:36 a.m., in compliance with the Open Meeting Act.

The Agenda was posted more than 48 hours in advance of the meeting, in compliance with the Open Meeting Act. It was posted on the Commission website and at 1915 North Stiles, the Commission's principal office.

CALL TO ORDER ......Presiding Appellate Officer, Chairman Liotta

Call to order 1:44 p.m. by Chairman Liotta, Presiding Appellate Officer.

ROLL CALL ......Presiding Appellate Officer, Chairman Liotta

After the roll call was taken, Chairman Liotta announced the presence of a Quorum.

## A. Commission Consideration of Adoption of Final Order in the Following Case:

## Ismael Hernandez v. DCP Midstream & DCP Midstream, LLC, & American Zurich Insurance, File #CM2015-04163A

Respondent filed an appeal from the order issued by Administrative Law Judge Egan. G. Todd Ralstin and L. Randall Lee represented the Claimant. Gary D. Long and David Brenner represented the Respondent.

After hearing oral arguments on September 15, 2017, the Commission en Banc took this matter under advisement for continued action at a future meeting. After reviewing the record, considering the arguments of counsel and deliberating, a proposed order was drafted and distributed to the Commissioners for consideration of adoption.

**Motion:** Commissioner Tilly moved to adopt proposed order as written.

**Second:** Commissioner Russell

**Those Voting Aye:** Presiding Appellate Officer Chairman Liotta and Commissioner Russell and Commissioner Tilly.

#### THE MOTION CARRIED: ORDER ADOPTED

## Robert Dowdy v. Resource One & Great American Alliance Insurance Co., File # CM2015-05911F

Claimant filed an appeal from the order issued by Administrative Law Judge Egan. Micah Felton represented the Claimant and Laurie Judie represented the Respondent.

After hearing oral arguments on October 20, 2017, the Commission en Banc took this matter under advisement for continued action at a future meeting. After reviewing the record, considering the arguments of counsel and deliberating, a proposed order was drafted and distributed to the Commissioners for consideration of adoption.

**Motion:** Commissioner Tilly moved to adopt proposed order as written.

**Second:** Commissioner Russell

**Those Voting Aye:** Presiding Appellate Officer Chairman Liotta and Commissioner Russell and Commissioner Tilly.

THE MOTION CARRIED: ORDER ADOPTED

#### D. Announcements

Commission's next regular business meeting is Thursday, December 14, 2017. Commission's next regular meeting regarding Appeals is scheduled for Friday, December 15, 2017.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

**Motion:** Presiding Appellate Officer Chairman Liotta moved to adjourn the meeting at approximately 1:51p.m.

**Second:** Commissioner Tilly

**Those Voting Aye:** Presiding Appellate Officer Chairman Liotta and Commissioner Russell and Commissioner Tilly.

THE MOTION CARRIED: THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED.