
In the Matter of the Compensation of
MORGAN L. MOORE, Claimant
WCB Case No. 00-01997, 99-04187
INTERIM ORDER OF DISMISSAL
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Reviewing Panel: Members Langer and Bock.

Claimant requested review of Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Herman's order that: (1) upheld the denials of his low back conditions issued by Johnston & Culberson (JCI) on behalf of the employer, Fort Hill Lumber; and (2) denials of his low back conditions issued by Fred Meyer, Inc. JCI and claimant have submitted a proposed "Disputed Claim Settlement" that is designed to resolve all issues raised or raisable between them.

Pursuant to the settlement, claimant and JCI agree that, as supplemented by the agreement, JCI's denials "shall forever remain in full force and effect." Moreover, claimant withdraws the requests for hearing and Board review regarding his case with JCI and the parties agree that those requests "shall be dismissed with prejudice."

We approve the settlement, thereby fully and finally resolving the dispute regarding JCI's denials. Accordingly, issues involving claimant's claims with JCI will no longer be considered on review. However, claimant's request for review remains pending regarding his claims with Fred Meyer. Consequently, this is an interim order. We will proceed with our review of issues arising from the Fred Meyer claims and, once that review is completed, will issue an order (which will incorporate this interim order).

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Entered at Salem, Oregon on August 16, 2002