

In the Matter of the Compensation of
ANTHONY L. BRONKHORST, Claimant
WCB Case No. 12-00801
ORDER ON REVIEW
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Reviewing Panel: Members Johnson and Weddell.

Claimant requests review of Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Wren's order that: (1) upheld the SAIF Corporation's denial of claimant's new/omitted medical condition claim for L5-S1 lumbar facet syndrome; (2) upheld SAIF's denial of claimant's new/omitted medical condition claim for an L5-S1 disc protrusion/herniation; and (3) did not award penalties and attorney fees for allegedly unreasonable claim processing. On review, the issues are claim processing, "back-up" denial, compensability, penalties, and attorney fees.

We adopt and affirm the ALJ's order.¹

ORDER

The ALJ's order dated April 3, 2014 is affirmed.

Entered at Salem, Oregon on September 9, 2014

¹ Claimant argues that SAIF's claim processing was unreasonable. Given our decision affirming the ALJ's order that upheld SAIF's denials, we reject claimant's contention.