
In the Matter of the Compensation of
DANIEL S. BISHOP, Claimant
WCB Case No. 15-05576
ORDER OF ABATEMENT
Dodge and Associates, Claimant Attorneys
Law Offices of Kathryn R Morton, Defense Attorneys

Reviewing Panel: Members Lanning and Johnson.

On June 17, 2016, by means of a final order which incorporated our June 7 interim order, we dismissed both claimant's and the insurer's requests for review of an Administrative Law Judge's (ALJ's) order. We took this action because the attorneys for both parties had announced that they had withdrawn their respective requests for review. We have since received a letter from claimant, which requests reconsideration of our order. Stating that he has recently undergone an MRI, he requests that we consider a report regarding that procedure for which he asserts the insurer should be held responsible.¹

To further consider this matter, we withdraw our June 17 order. In addition, both claimant's attorney and the insurer's counsel are granted an opportunity to submit their respective positions regarding the effect claimant's letter has on their previous withdrawals of their requests for review. Claimant's attorney's written position must be filed within 14 days from the date of this order. The insurer's written position must be filed within 14 days from the date of mailing of claimant's attorney's position. (If claimant's attorney does not timely file a written position, the insurer's written position must be filed within 28 days from the date of this order.) Thereafter, we will proceed with our reconsideration.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Entered at Salem, Oregon on July 15, 2016

¹ Copies of claimant's letter have been included with claimant's attorney's and the insurer's counsel's copies of this order.