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In the Matter of the Compensation of  
**DARLENE A. REDMOND, Claimant**  
WCB Case No. 15-03633  
ORDER APPROVING SETTLEMENT  
Jodie Phillips Polich, Claimant Attorneys  
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Reviewing Panel: Members Curey, Lanning, and Wold.

On June 1, 2018, we issued an order that affirmed an Administrative Law Judge's (ALJ's) order that set aside the self-insured employer's denials of claimant's new/omitted medical condition claims for a C5-6 annular tear/disc protrusion and C4-5 disc protrusion/bulge. The employer petitioned the court for judicial review of our order. The parties have submitted a proposed "Disputed Claim Settlement" (DCS) that is designed to resolve all issues raised or raisable between them, in lieu of all prior orders. Specifically, the agreement is designed to resolve the parties' dispute pending before the Court of Appeals. We are authorized to consider the parties' DCS. ORS 656.298(9)(a); *Rebecca E. Seelye*, 60 Van Natta 332 (2008).

Pursuant to the settlement, claimant agrees that the employer's denials, as supplemented by the agreement, "shall forever remain in full force and effect." The settlement further provides that the Request for Hearing "shall be dismissed with prejudice."

By this order, we approve the parties' agreement, thereby fully and finally resolving their dispute, in lieu of all prior orders. Accordingly, this matter is dismissed with prejudice.<sup>1</sup>

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Entered at Salem, Oregon on December 19, 2018

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<sup>1</sup> The parties have also submitted a Claim Disposition Agreement (CDA), in which claimant releases her rights to all "nonmedical-service-related" benefits for her March 2015 claim. The CDA further provides that, on its approval, this pending matter "shall be dismissed." This date, we have approved that CDA. (WCB Case No. 18-02880C.)