

**WORKERS' COMPENSATION APPEALS BOARD  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

**ARNOLD LEIS, *Applicant***

**vs.**

**THE KROGER COMPANY dba RALPHS GROCERY COMPANY, permissibly self-insured, administered and adjusted by SEDGWICK, *Defendants***

**Adjudication Number: ADJ11622938, ADJ14864417  
Riverside District Office**

**OPINION AND ORDER  
DISMISSING PETITION FOR  
REMOVAL**

The Petition for Removal challenging the decision issued by the workers' compensation administrative judge (WCJ) on April 6, 2022, in which the WCJ stayed defendant's Petition to Vacate Appointment of Guardian Ad Litem and Trustee filed on April 5, 2022 in ADJ11622938 and ADJ14864417 based on applicant's attorney's statement, has been withdrawn by petitioner defendant. Therefore, it will be dismissed.

For the foregoing reasons,

**IT IS ORDERED** that defendant The Kroger Company dba Ralphs Grocery Company's Petition for Removal of the April 6, 2022 order is **DISMISSED**.

**WORKERS' COMPENSATION APPEALS BOARD**

/s/ KATHERINE A. ZALEWSKI, CHAIR

I CONCUR,

/s/ MARGUERITE SWEENEY, COMMISSIONER

KATHERINE WILLIAMS DODD, COMMISSIONER  
CONCURRING NOT SIGNING



**DATED AND FILED AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA**

**August 4, 2022**

**SERVICE MADE ON THE ABOVE DATE ON THE PERSONS LISTED BELOW AT THEIR ADDRESSES SHOWN ON THE CURRENT OFFICIAL ADDRESS RECORD.**

**ARNOLD LEIS  
DONALD M. BOLAS  
LAW OFFICES OF BRADFORD & BARTHEL, LLP**

**LSM/pc**

I certify that I affixed the official seal of the Workers' Compensation Appeals Board to this original decision on this date. *abs*