

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

**PATRICIA CURTIS, *Applicant***

**vs.**

**COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, Permissibly Self-Insured, administered by YORK RISK  
SERVICES GROUP, *Defendants***

**Adjudication Numbers: ADJ928309 (VNO 0521172); ADJ3770629 (VNO 0539478)  
Van Nuys District Office**

**OPINION AND ORDER  
GRANTING PETITION FOR  
RECONSIDERATION**

Reconsideration has been sought with regard to the decision filed on March 16, 2022.

Taking into account the statutory time constraints for acting on the petition, and based upon our initial review of the record, we believe reconsideration must be granted to allow sufficient opportunity to further study the factual and legal issues in this case. We believe that this action is necessary to give us a complete understanding of the record and to enable us to issue a just and reasoned decision. Reconsideration is therefore granted for this purpose and for such further proceedings as we may hereafter determine to be appropriate.

For the foregoing reasons,

**IT IS ORDERED** that Reconsideration is **GRANTED**.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that pending the issuance of a Decision after Reconsideration in the above case, all further correspondence, objections, motions, requests and communications *relating to the petition* shall be filed only with the Office of the Commissioners of the Workers' Compensation Appeals Board at either its street address (455 Golden Gate Avenue, 9th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94102), or its e-mail address ([WCABgrantforstudy@dir.ca.gov](mailto:WCABgrantforstudy@dir.ca.gov)). It is within the discretion of the Workers' Compensation Appeals Board to determine whether any document submitted for filing is accepted for filing (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 8, § 10615(c) [eff. January 1, 2022]).

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that all trial level documents not related to the petition are not subject to this order **EXCEPT** that given WCAB Rule 10961 (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 8, § 10961), when the parties file a stipulations with request for award or a compromise and release agreement in this case, *all* parties shall simultaneously notify the Workers' Compensation Appeals Board of the filing at either its street address (455 Golden Gate Avenue, 9th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94102), or its e-mail address ([WCABgrantforstudy@dir.ca.gov](mailto:WCABgrantforstudy@dir.ca.gov)).

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that if the party filing the petition decides to withdraw the petition for any reason, the party shall immediately notify the Workers' Compensation Appeals Board of the withdrawal at either its street address (455 Golden Gate Avenue, 9th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94102), or its e-mail address ([WCABgrantforstudy@dir.ca.gov](mailto:WCABgrantforstudy@dir.ca.gov)).

**WORKERS' COMPENSATION APPEALS BOARD**

**/s/ KATHERINE WILLIAMS DODD, COMMISSIONER**

**I CONCUR,**

**/s/ CRAIG SNELLINGS, COMMISSIONER**

**/s/ MARGUERITE SWEENEY, COMMISSIONER**



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

**JUNE 2, 2022**

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

**PATRICIA CURTIS  
LEWIS, MARENSTEIN, WICKE, SHERWIN & LEE  
LAW OFFICES OF DANIEL J. DONAHUE**

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