

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

RICHARD YABSLEY, *Applicant*

vs.

**SKYWEST AIRLINES;
ACE AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY administered by
SEDGWICK CLAIMS MANAGEMENT and
SUBSEQUENT INJURIES BENEFIT TRUST FUND, *Defendants***

Adjudication Numbers: ADJ16182121; ADJ12662897; ADJ16576294

Santa Barbara District Office

**OPINION AND ORDER
DISMISSING PETITION
FOR REMOVAL**

On September 11, 2024, a workers' compensation administrative law judge (WCJ) issued an order setting this matter for trial. On September 23, 2024, defendant filed a petition for removal in response to the order. On December 23, 2024, the parties entered into a Compromise and Release (C&R), and the WCJ issued an order approving the C&R.

Accordingly, the petition for removal is now moot, and we will dismiss the petition.

For the foregoing reasons,

IT IS ORDERED that the Petition for Removal is **DISMISSED**.

WORKERS' COMPENSATION APPEALS BOARD

/s/ KATHERINE A. ZALEWSKI, CHAIR

I CONCUR,

/s/ JOSEPH V. CAPURRO, COMMISSIONER

/s/ JOSÉ H. RAZO, COMMISSIONER



DATED AND FILED AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

June 6, 2025

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

**RICHARD YABSLEY
LAW OFFICES OF JOSEPH LOUNSBURY
ALBERT & MACKENZIE
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR, LEGAL (LOS ANGELES)**

AS/mc

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