MINUTES OF THE ILLINOIS WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION REVIEW BOARD MEETING HELD VIA WEBEX MARCH 21, 2022

Board Members Present at the meeting via WebEx:

Chairman Michael Brennan Commissioner Deborah Simpson Arbitrator Jeffrey Huebsch Arbitrator Maureen Pulia Robert Hanaford

Not Present:

Commissioner Thomas Tyrrell

IWCC staff present at the meeting via WebEx:

Ronald Rascia, General Counsel
Annette Roti, Confidential Assistant to the Chairman
Michele Kowalski, Secretary of the Commission
Whitney Martin, Research and Education Manager
Cole D. Garrett, Deputy General Counsel
Carolyn Parks, Executive Director

Chairman Brennan called the meeting to order at 9:31 AM and Michele Kowalski took roll and noted a quorum was present. Arbitrator Huebsch moved to approve the minutes of the December 3, 2021 meeting (rescheduled from December 20, 2021), Arbitrator Pulia seconded the motion, and the motion was approved unanimously.

With no old business, Chairman Brennan advised that the Board would go into closed session to interview potential candidates for Independent Arbitrator. In closed session the Board interviewed Mr. Antonio Jeffrey and Mr. Marc Perper as candidates for independent arbitrator. Upon rising from closed session, the board moved to formally recommend both candidates to the WCC, and such motion carried unanimously.

There were no members of the public present via WebEx and no public comment. Upon hearing no further business, Arbitrator Huebsch moved to adjourn, Mr. Hanaford seconded the motion, and the motion carried unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 9:56 AM.