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BEFORE THE ARKANSAS WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION

CLAIM NO. F113145

ROBERT L. WATSON,
EMPLOYEE

CLAIMANT

KNOWLTON TRUCKING,
EMPLOYER

RESPONDENT

FIRSTCOMP INSURANCE COMPANY,
INSURANCE CARRIER

RESPONDENT

OPINION FILED NOVEMBER 7, 2003

Upon review before the FULL COMMISSION in Little Rock,
Pulaski County, Arkansas.

Claimant appeared PRO SE.

Respondents represented by HONORABLE WILLIAM C. FRYE,
Attorney at Law, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Decision of the Administrative Law Judge: Affirmed and
adopted.

OPINION AND ORDER

The claimant appeals from a decision of the
Administrative Law Judge filed January 24, 2003. The
Administrative Law Judge entered the following findings of
fact and conclusions of law:

1. The Workers' Compensation Commission has jurisdiction of this claim in which the relationship of employee-employer-carrier existed among the parties on November 14, 2001.
2. The claimant did not suffer a compensable injury as he was not performing employment services at the time of his accident.

3. The respondents are liable for medical and mileage expenses related to the treatment of Drs. Webber and Wilson based on the assurance given by the employer. All reasonable and necessary medical expenses must be paid within thirty days pursuant to Rule 30.

We have carefully conducted a de novo review of the entire record herein, and it is our opinion that the Administrative Law Judge's decision is supported by a preponderance of the credible evidence, correctly applies the law, and should be affirmed. Specifically, we find from a preponderance of the evidence that the findings of fact made by the Administrative Law Judge are correct, and they are, therefore, adopted by the Full Commission.

Thus, we affirm and adopt the decision of the Administrative Law Judge, including all findings and conclusions therein, as the decision of the Full Commission on appeal.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

OLAN W. REEVES, Chairman

KAREN H. MCKINNEY, Commissioner

Commissioner Turner dissents.