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BEFORE THE ARKANSAS WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION

CLAIM NOS. E614304, E804468, and E806622

RUTH PRUITT, EMPLOYEE	CLAIMANT
GLEN ROSE PUBLIC SCHOOL, EMPLOYER	RESPONDENT
RISK MANAGEMENT RESOURCES (TPA), CARRIER	RESPONDENT

OPINION FILED JANUARY 6, 2004

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

Claimant presented *pro se*.

Respondent represented by HONORABLE GAIL O. MATTHEWS, Attorney at Law, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Decision of Administrative Law Judge: Affirmed and Adopted.

OPINION AND ORDER

The claimant appeals from a decision of the Administrative Law Judge filed April 21, 2003.

The Administrative Law Judge entered the following findings of fact and conclusions of law:

1. The claimant is entitled to additional medical treatment for complaints with her hands, particularly, her left hand.
2. The claimant does not meet her burden of proving by a preponderance of the evidence of record that she is entitled to a reinstatement of temporary total disability benefits.

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.