BEFORE THE IOWA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

JACE DELANCEY,

Claimant,

VS.

: File No. 21009492.01

RTL EQUIPMENT, INC., : ALTERNATE MEDICAL CARE

Employer, : CONSENT ORDER

and

INSURANCE COMPANY.

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Insurance Carrier, : Head Note No.: 2701

Defendants.

Claimant filed an application for alternate medical care on October 7, 2022, requesting that defendants be ordered to schedule an appointment for pain management or a neurosurgical evaluation. Hearing was scheduled for October 19, 2022, at 10:30 a.m.

Prior to hearing on October 19, 2022, the parties advised the undersigned that they had reached an agreement concerning Claimant's Petition for Alternate Medical Care. The parties request a Consent Order be entered in this case, in lieu of a hearing.

Defendants have authorized Justin Wikle, M.D., a pain management specialist at the University of lowa Hospitals and Clinics. The parties agree that within fourteen (14) days of the date of this order, defendants will have an appointment date and time for claimant's initial appointment with Dr. Wikle. Defendants will notify claimant's counsel of the date and time of the appointment as soon as possible. A hearing is therefore determined to be unnecessary, based on the agreement of the parties.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

Within fourteen (14) days of the date of this order, defendants will have an appointment date and time for claimant to see Justin Wikle, M.D. Defendants will notify claimant's counsel of the date and time of the appointment as soon as possible.

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The hearing scheduled for October 19, 2022 is cancelled.

Signed and filed this <u>19th</u> day of October, 2022.

JESSICA L. CLEEREMAN DEPUTY WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

The parties have been served, as follows:

Nate Willems (via WCES)

Kent Smith (via WCES)