

BEFORE THE IOWA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

RICHARD LEE SCOTT,

Claimant,

vs.

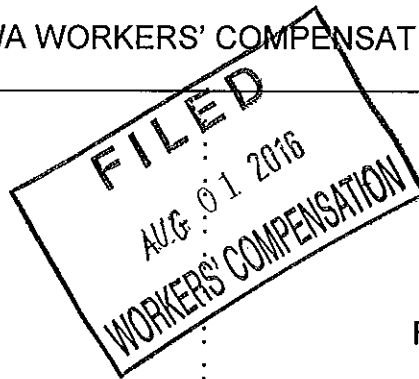
ABM INDUSTRIES, INC.,

Employer,

and

INDEMNITY INSURANCE CO. N.A.,

Insurance Carrier,
Defendants.



File No. 5056982

ALTERNATE MEDICAL

CARE DECISION

HEAD NOTE NO: 2701

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

This is a contested case proceeding under Iowa Code chapters 85 and 17A. The expedited procedure of rule 876 IAC 4.48 is invoked by claimant, Richard Scott.

The alternate medical care claim came on for hearing on August 1, 2016. The proceedings were digitally recorded which constitutes the official record of this proceeding. This ruling is designated final agency action and any appeal of the decision would be to the Iowa District Court pursuant to Iowa Code 17A.19.

The record consists of claimant's Exhibits 1 through 4 and defendants' Exhibit A.

Defendants submitted an answer. Defendants admitted the medical care claimant seeks is related to the September 9, 2015 injury.

ISSUE

The issue presented for resolution is whether the claimant is entitled to alternate medical care consisting of a bone scan recommended by the authorized treating physician.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The parties' attorneys participated in the hearing. No witnesses were called. The parties have reached agreement as to this alternate medical care dispute. The agreement of the parties is accepted by the undersigned.

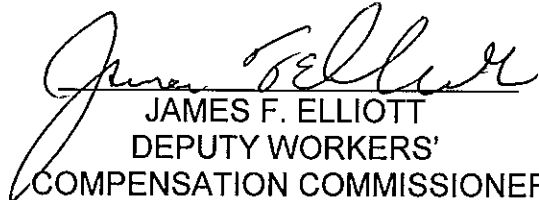
Defendants have agreed to authorize the bone scan requested by claimant's authorized physician, Sunny Kim, M.D. Defendants shall authorize the bone scan within five days, so the bone scan can be scheduled promptly.

ORDER

Therefore it is ordered:

The claimant's petition for alternate medical care is granted. Defendants shall authorize a bone scan for the claimant within five (5) days.

Signed and filed this 15th day of August, 2016.


JAMES F. ELLIOTT
DEPUTY WORKERS'
COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

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