

## BEFORE THE IOWA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

DALE ENNS,

Claimant,

vs.

LENNOX INDUSTRIES, INC.,

Employer,

and

INDEMNITY INSURANCE COMPANY  
OF NORTH AMERICA,Insurance Carrier,  
Defendants.

File Nos. 22700991.02, 22700992.02

ALTERNATE MEDICAL CARE

CONSENT ORDER

Claimant filed two petitions seeking alternate medical care. A consolidated telephonic hearing on these petitions was scheduled for Friday, December 9, 2022. Attorney James Ballard appeared on behalf of the claimant. Claims specialist, Julie Blanchard, of Corvel appeared as the third-party administrator for the employer and insurance carrier.

Prior to going on the record, the parties informed the undersigned that they had an agreement, which would satisfy claimant's alternate medical care request. Specifically, defendants offered to schedule and authorize a second opinion evaluation at Capital Orthopaedics & Sports Medicine, P.C., in Des Moines, Iowa. Claimant is agreeable to that offer for care.

The parties having reached an amicable resolution, the undersigned concluded that a hearing was not necessary. Instead, the undersigned proposed a consent order to document the above agreement. All parties agreed to entry of the consent order in lieu of a hearing. Accordingly, the December 9, 2022 hearing was cancelled.

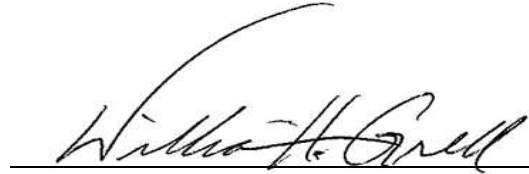
THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

Defendants shall authorize a second opinion orthopaedic evaluation to occur at Capital Orthopaedics & Sports Medicine, P.C.

Within 14 days of the entry of this order, defendants shall have communicated with, scheduled, and authorized an evaluation date for an orthopaedic surgeon at Capital Orthopaedics & Sports Medicine, P.C. to evaluate claimant.

Defendants shall select the first reasonably available date for evaluation consistent with claimant's schedule.

Signed and filed this 9<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2022.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "William H. Grell", is written over a horizontal line.

WILLIAM H. GRELL  
DEPUTY WORKERS'  
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