File Number: Cancelled Hearing-O-H

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April 22, 2025

Date of Injury: 11/16/2024 Employee:

Dear

Due to unforeseen circumstances related to our contracted transcription service, we regret to inform you that your upcoming hearing (scheduling details attached) must be cancelled.

If you prefer to continue with an oral hearing, your hearing will be rescheduled. You will receive at least 30 days' advance notice of the new hearing details.

You may also choose to convert your oral hearing appeal into a review of the written record.

Please complete the attached form and return it to our office via ECOMP or the address listed on the form.

Any responses not received within 30 days from the date of this letter will be automatically converted to a review of the written record.

Sincerely,

Jennifer M. Federal Employees Program

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH CLAIMS OFFICE GULF ATLANTIC PROCESSING & MAINT. P.O. BOX 39443 TAMPA, FL 33630

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CERTIFICATION OF THE CLAIMANT OR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

____ I elect to continue with an oral hearing. By selecting this option, you understand that your current hearing date is cancelled and will be rescheduled in the future (date to be determined). You will receive at least 30 days' advance notice of the rescheduled date.

_____I elect to convert my oral hearing request to a written review of the record. By selecting this option, you understand that your Hearing Representative will provide a copy of your request for a review of the written record, along with all pertinent new material, to your employing agency for comment. Pursuant to 20 CFR 10.618 (b), medical evidence is not considered pertinent for comment by the employing agency, since OWCP has sole responsibility for evaluating medical evidence, and therefore will not be furnished to the agency. You will be provided a copy of the letter to your employing agency. The employing agency will be allowed 20 days from the date of the Hearing Representative's letter to provide comments. Should you wish to provide a response or rebuttal to any comments from your employing agency, you should ensure OWCP receives your response or rebuttal within 20 days of the letter that provides their comments to you. Following the Hearing Representative's review and complete study of the evidence of record in your case file, the Hearing Representative should issue a decision within 90 days from the date of assignment.

Please select an option above and return the form to us.

The fastest and most efficient way to submit documents to us is through ECOMP at https://ecomp.dol.gov/.

If you are a registered user in ECOMP, access your case file. From the Forms tab for that case, choose "Upload a Document." Use the "Request for Hearing/Review of Written Record" drop-down option under "Document Type."

You may also mail the completed form to:

Branch of Hearings and Review Office of Workers' Compensation Programs PO Box 8311 London, KY 40742-8311

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