RESOLUTION 44-19

GLOUCESTER COUNTY INSURANCE COMMISSION RESOLUTION OF AUTHORITY FOR SETTLEMENT WITH PETITIONER, WILLIAM TAPPIN

WHEREAS, William Tappin (hereinafter "Petitioner"), sustained a work related injury while serving a warrant slipped and fell while walking down steps on or about September 28, 2017 (the "incident"), and;

WHEREAS, the incident subsequently resulted in the filing of a workers' compensation claim styled as <u>William Tappin v. County of Gloucester Sheriff's Department</u> in the Workers' Compensation Court, Claim Petition 2017-27409 (the "action") and;

WHEREAS, an Order approving settlement was entered on March 26, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the aforementioned claim and action so filed have now been resolved, and;

WHEREAS, a SETTLEMENT has been negotiated and agreed upon between Petitioner and the County of Gloucester, totaling \$5,000.00 inclusive of applicable fees and costs for the Claim Petition 2017-27409, and;

WHEREAS, the Settlement is not intended, nor should it be intended to be an admission of any liability wrongdoing, or impropriety by the parties, and;

WHEREAS, the Settlement has been evaluated by defense counsel for the Gloucester County Insurance Commission, and;

WHEREAS, the Gloucester County Insurance Commission believes that it is in its' best interests to enter into the Settlement with Petitioner so as to ensure that all matters set forth in and involving the claim and action are forever resolved.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Gloucester County Insurance Commission that disposition of the claim filed by the above-referenced individual is authorized as follows:

PETITIONERCLAIM PETITION NO.AMOUNT OF AWARDWilliam Tappin2017-27409\$5,000.00

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the proper Commission officials and/or their agents, be and are hereby authorized to execute such documents as shall be necessary to effect the disposition set forth.

ADOPTED by THE GLOUCESTER COUNTY INSURANCE COMMISSION at a properly noticed meeting held on April 25, 2019.

ADOPTED:

TIMOTHY SHEEHAN, CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:

MICHAEL BURKE, VICE CHAIRMAN