

**GLOUCESTER COUNTY INSURANCE COMMISSION
RESOLUTION OF AUTHORITY FOR SETTLEMENT WITH
PETITIONER, MAUREEN LEO**

WHEREAS, Maureen Leo (hereinafter "Petitioner"), sustained a work related injury when Petitioner alleges she tripped and fell on an uneven sidewalk on August 21, 2014 (the "incident"); and

WHEREAS, Petitioner additionally sustained a second work related injury when Petitioner alleges she fell on May 19, 2015; and

WHEREAS, the August 21, 2014 incident subsequently resulted in the filing of a workers' compensation claim styled as Maureen Leo vs. County of Gloucester in the Workers' Compensation Court, Claim Petition 2014-33217 related to the August 21, 2014 incident; and

WHEREAS, the May 19, 2015 incident subsequently resulted in the filing of a workers' compensation claim styled as Maureen Leo vs. County of Gloucester in the Workers' Compensation Court, Claim Petition 2015-14621 related to the May 19, 2015 incident; and

WHEREAS, an Order Approving Settlement with Dismissal under N.J.S.A. 34:15-20 was entered on August 7, 2020 related to the August 21, 2014 incident under claim petition 2014-33217; and

WHEREAS, Claim Petition No. 2015-14621 was dismissed with prejudice; and

WHEREAS, the aforementioned claims and actions so filed have now been resolved, and;

WHEREAS, a SETTLEMENT has been negotiated and agreed upon between Petitioner and the County of Gloucester, totaling \$15,000.00 under the Order Approving Settlement with Dismissal inclusive of applicable fees and costs for Claim Petition 2014-33217, and;

WHEREAS, a dismissal with prejudice was entered for Claim Petition 2015-14621 which included payment for reimbursement of a medical lien paid by respondent in the amount of \$2,341.03, and payment for the transcript fee in the amount of \$105.00 for Claim Petition 2015-14621; and

WHEREAS, the Settlements are 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 Settlements with Petitioner so as to ensure that all matters set forth in and involving the claims and actions 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:

<u>PETITIONER</u>	<u>CLAIM PETITION NO.</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF AWARD</u>
Maureen Leo	2014-33217	\$15,000.00
	2015-14621	\$2,341.03 Equian, LLC
		\$105.00 State Shorthand Reporting Services

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 September 24, 2020.

ADOPTED:



TIMOTHY SHEEHAN, CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:



MICHAEL BURKE