

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Department of Employment Services
Labor Standards Bureau



Office of Hearings and Adjudication
Administrative Hearings Division

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IN THE MATTER OF,)
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GERMAINE WHITFIELD,)
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Claimant,)
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v.)
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HADLEY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL,)
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and)
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GALLAGHER BASSETT SERVICES,)
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Employer/Carrier,)
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and)
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HOWARD UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL,)
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SEDGWICK CMS, INC.,)
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Employer/Carrier.)

AHD No. 03-309, 03-291
OWC No. 584319, 555289

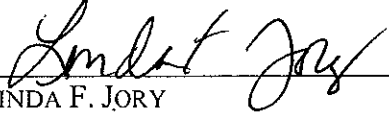
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

On May 19, 2008, the Administrative Hearings Division (hereinafter, AHD) received from Neil J. Fagan, Esquire (hereinafter, Counsel), as counsel for Germaine Whitfield (hereinafter, Claimant), a Petition for an Order pursuant to §31 of the Act, D.C. Code Ann. §32-1530. Therein, Counsel requested an assessment of an attorney's fee in the above captioned matter. In support of said Petition, Counsel has filed computations of the time spent thereon, for the services rendered before this forum, for a fee of \$4,814.38, based upon 61.90 hours of work performed before AHD.

Counsel shall ascertain whether Howard University Hospital and Hadley Memorial Hospital (hereinafter, Employers), will consent to the fees sought consistent with the requirements set forth in D.C. Superior Court Rules - Civil Rule 12-I (2006). Absent

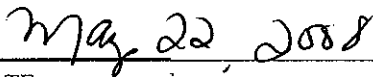
consent, Employers shall file their objections, in writing, to Counsel's Petition within fifteen (15) business days of service of this Order. Upon timely receipt of Employers response, an Order will be entered pursuant to the Act. Failure to timely respond will likewise result in the issuance of an Order.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



LINDA F. JORY

ACTING CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE



DATE

Enclosure

Parties Served:

WILLIAM H. SCHLADT, ESQUIRE

JEFFREY W. OCHSMAN, ESQUIRE

NEIL J. FAGAN, ESQUIRE

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