

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Department of Employment Services

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COMPENSATION REVIEW BOARD

CRB No. 12-095(R)

**DONALD POOLE,
Claimant–Respondent,**

v.

**BENEDICT METAL WORKS and CINCINNATI INSURANCE COMPANY,
Employer and Carrier–Petitioners.**

Upon Remand from the District of Columbia Court of Appeals,
DCCA No. 12-AA-1300 (October 10, 2013)

Mark L. Shaffer, Esquire for the Claimant
Joel E. Ogden, Esquire for the Employer and Carrier

ORDER

On May 25, 2012, an Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) in the Hearings and Adjudication section of the District of Columbia Department of Employment Services entered an award in behalf of the claimant providing for temporary total benefits from December 20, 2010, to the present and continuing and for causally related medical expenses. *Poole v Benedict Metal Works and Cincinnati Insurance Co.*, AHD No. 11-062, OWC No. 673724 (May 25, 2012). On July 25, 2012, the Compensation Review Board (CRB) vacated the award of temporary total disability benefits and affirmed the award of causally related medical benefits.

On October 10, 2013, the District of Columbia Court of Appeals reversed the CRB’s decision vacating the award of temporary total disability benefits and remanded the case to the CRB for reinstatement of the ALJ’s award of temporary total disability benefits.

Therefore, consistent with the remand instructions from the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, the ALJ’s May 25, 2012 award of temporary total benefits from December 20, 2010, to the present and continuing is hereby reinstated.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

LAWRENCE D. TARR
Chief Administrative Appeals Judge

November 1, 2013

DATE

