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## NORTH CAROLINA INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

December 8, 2023

### IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL PARTIES

The cases listed on the attached calendar are scheduled for disposition by the Full Commission. During ongoing renovations to the Commission's courtroom, Full Commission hearings are being held via Teams videoconference unless otherwise noted. Some cases may be determined without oral argument pursuant to Rule 11 NCAC 23A .0701(h) or Rule 11 NCAC 23B .0301. The parties will be notified by the Commission prior to the hearing dates below if oral argument is waived. If no such notification is provided, oral argument will be held as scheduled below:

**JANUARY 9 AND 17, 2024  
VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE**

(You will receive an email with instructions for videoconference participation at a later date.)

Please review the enclosed calendar to determine the exact date on which your case will be heard. The hearing time may change based on the number of cases scheduled on the hearing day and will be reflected in the email you receive at a later date. Please note that the cases docketed prior to your case may be dismissed or continued. **If you do not appear at the videoconference, the Full Commission will consider the record and will render its decision without hearing oral argument.**

For cases appearing on the enclosed calendar, all motions, including requests for continuances, should be addressed to the chair of the panel and must be filed in accordance with Rule 11 NCAC 23A .0108 for workers' compensation cases, or Rule 11 NCAC 23B .0104 for tort cases. Requests for continuances should be submitted at least two weeks prior to the date of hearing. An exception may be made for unexpected emergencies, in which case the continuance request should be filed as described above and followed up with a telephone call or electronic mail. **In the event a case is continued, the case will be heard before the same panel at a later date.** In lieu of a continuance, oral argument may be waived for the party requesting the continuance.

ALL BRIEFS AND FORMS 44 must be filed in accordance with Rule 11 NCAC 23A .0108 for workers' compensation cases or Rule 11 NCAC 23B .0104 for tort cases. For help with EDFP registration, please visit <http://www.ic.nc.gov/EDFPRegistrationInstructions.pdf>. A party who fails to timely file a brief may be denied oral argument.

For additional information, please consult the Rules of the Industrial Commission as they apply to hearings before the Full Commission.

NORTH CAROLINA INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION  
Emily M. Baucom  
Clerk of the Industrial Commission

**NORTH CAROLINA INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION  
FULL COMMISSION REVIEW DOCKET**

**ADRIAN A. PHILLIPS, COMMISSIONER AND PANEL CHAIR  
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WANDA BLANCHE TAYLOR, COMMISSIONER**

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 2024  
VIDEOCONFERENCE**

<b>I.C. NUMBER</b>		<b>ATTORNEY</b>	
<b>18-046055</b>	<b>AMETHYST STATON</b>	<b>PLF:</b>	<b>PRO SE</b>
<b>JT</b>	<b>v.</b>		
	<b>CHARLOTTE MECKLENBURG SCHOOLS</b>	<b>DFT:</b>	<b>MATTHEW BUCKNER</b>
	<b>SELF-INSURED</b>		<b>NC DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE</b>
	<b>(SEDGWICK CMS)</b>		<b>RALEIGH, NC</b>
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<b>20-039987</b>	<b>TAMMY S. RAFFALDT</b>	<b>PLF:</b>	<b>FRED POISSON, JR.</b>
<b>ET</b>	<b>v.</b>		<b>POISSON POISSON &amp; BOWER</b>
	<b>AUTUMN CARE</b>	<b>DFT:</b>	<b>WADESBORO, NC</b>
	<b>PMA INSURANCE GROUP</b>		<b>MORGAN RHYNE</b>
			<b>HEDRICK GARDNER KINCHELOE &amp;</b>
			<b>GAROFALO; CHARLOTTE, NC</b>
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**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17, 2024  
VIDEOCONFERENCE**

<b>I.C. NUMBER</b>		<b>ATTORNEY</b>	
<b>21-000883 KH</b>	<b>NORMA S. LEE</b>	<b>PLF:</b>	<b>ALBERT THOMAS, JR. FARRIS &amp; THOMAS LAW WILSON, NC</b>
	<b>v.</b>	<b>PLF:</b>	<b>MICHAEL BERTICS LENNON CAMAK AND BERTICS RALEIGH, NC</b>
	<b>SCHWEITZER-MAUDUIT INTERNATIONAL, INC. SENTRY INSURANCE COMPANY</b>	<b>DFT:</b>	<b>BENJAMIN SIMPSON/NATALIE ROONEY MCANGUS GOUDELOCK AND COURIE RALEIGH, NC</b>
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<b>21-037483 WS</b>	<b>DERICK RODRIGUEZ</b>	<b>PLF:</b>	<b>VERNON SUMWALT THE SUMWALT GROUP CHARLOTTE, NC</b>
	<b>v.</b>	<b>DFT:</b>	<b>TIMOTHY CARRAWAY CAULEY PRIDGEN RALEIGH, NC</b>
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