

ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION

October 2020 Minutes

On October 23, 2020, the Arkansas State Claims Commission (the “Claims Commission”) held hearings in the Claims Commission Hearing Room, 101 East Capitol Avenue, Suite 410, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Present at the hearings were Commissioners Dexter Booth, Henry Kinslow, and Paul Morris (Chair).

Cherriet Clark v. Arkansas Public Employees’ Retirement System, Claim No. 200547. Claimant filed her claim seeking benefits which Respondent denied to Claimant. At the hearing on Respondent’s motion to dismiss, Claimant was represented by Reba Wingfield, and Laura Gilson appeared on behalf of Respondent. Based on the pleadings, the argument of the parties, and the law of the State of Arkansas, the Claims Commission granted Respondent’s motion to dismiss and dismissed Claimant’s claim for lack of jurisdiction.

Reeda Revels v. Arkansas Department of Transportation, Claim No. 200282. Claimant filed her claim seeking \$15,000.00 in vehicular property damage and personal injuries. At the hearing on the claim, Claimant was represented by John D. Pike, and Steven W. Abed appeared on behalf of Respondent. Based on the pleadings, testimony, argument of the parties, and law of the State of Arkansas, the Claims Commission found that Claimant was only entitled to reimbursement of her property damage deductible and AWARDED Claimant \$500.00. The Claims Commission declined to award Claimant any damages for medical expenses.

This completed all of the business on the October 2020 Claims Commission docket.



Kathryn Irby, Director

Date: October 23, 2020