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Re: Settlement of the Workers' Compensation Claims of Maureen Whelan-Kapanowski vs. MWRDGC, IWCC Nos. 05 WC 22427 and 05 WC 22433, Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission, in the sum of \$2,500.00. Account 901-30000-601090.

Dear Sir:

Maureen Whelan-Kapanowski was a Head Assistant Attorney in the Law Department. She retired on December 29, 2007. On May 23, 2002, Ms. Whelan-Kapanowski was travelling home on a Metra train. She claims she was carrying District bond transaction documents to work on at home. She bent down to place the materials on a seat and when she stood up she hit her head on an overhead compartment. She claimed a concussion and cervical pain. Ms. Whelan-Kapanowski also claimed that this event and the complexity of the bond transaction caused her to have increased anxiety and stress which led to a stress related disorder. She was hospitalized and lost several months of work.

On February 9, 2004, Ms. Whelan-Kapanowski filed an accident report claiming that she was diagnosed with bilateral carpal tunnel syndrome and related it to typing on a computer keyboard at work.

Both of these claims were denied. Ms. Whelan-Kapanowski filed two Applications for Adjustment of Claims with the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission being Claim Nos. 05 WC 22427 and 05 WC 22433.

At this time, both claims can be settled on a disputed basis for \$2,500.00.

The General Counsel believes this is an equitable settlement to conclude this matter and requests payment of that sum be approved and he be authorized to execute such documents as may be necessary to effect the settlement.

Respectfully submitted,



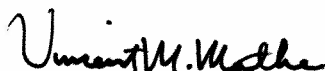
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Re: Settlement of the Workers' Compensation Claim of Diane Reidy vs. MWRDGC,  
Case No. 200004435, Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission, in the sum of  
\$8,325.62. Account 901-30000-601090.

Dear Sir:

Diane Reidy is a Sanitary Chemist I at the Stickney Water Reclamation Plant. On April 22, 2009, while walking in the parking lot near the truck garage, she stepped into a pot hole and twisted her left foot. She went to the Excel Occupational Health Clinic and was diagnosed with a fracture of her left fifth metatarsal. Treatment included a cast boot and therapy at the Stickney Plant. She lost three days of work.

Subject to the approval of the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission, this claim can be settled for the sum of \$8,325.62 which represents a 7.5% loss of use of the left foot.

The General Counsel believes this is an equitable settlement to conclude this matter and requests payment of that sum be approved and he be authorized to execute such documents as may be necessary to effect the settlement.

Respectfully submitted,

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