

BEFORE THE ARKANSAS WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION

WCC NO. H501985

MARIA NATALY ROBLES, Employee

CLAIMANT

TYSON POULTRY, INC., Employer

RESPONDENT

TYSON SHARED SERVICES, INC., Carrier

RESPONDENT

OPINION FILED MARCH 24, 2026

Hearing before ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE ERIC PAUL WELLS in Fort Smith, Sebastian County, Arkansas.

Claimant not represented by counsel and not appearing at hearing.

Respondents represented by J. MATTHEW MAULDIN, Attorney at Law, Little Rock, Arkansas.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

This case comes on for review following a hearing on respondents' Motion to Dismiss.

On May 12, 2025, the claimant filed an AR-C requesting various compensation benefits in which she alleges an injury to her low back and left thigh on or about April 1, 2024. There has been no request for a hearing and no further action was taken in this claim.

On November 26, 2025, the respondents filed a Motion to Dismiss requesting that this claim be dismissed for lack of prosecution. A hearing was scheduled for February 26, 2026. Notice of that hearing was sent to the claimant by certified mail, return receipt requested on December 19, 2025. United States Postal Department records indicate that claimant received and signed for the notice on December 30, 2025. On January 2, 2026, the claimant wrote a letter to the Commission stating that she did not wish to proceed with her claim at this time and did not object to the dismissal of her claim. The claimant did not appear at the hearing.

Pursuant to 11 CAR §25-110(d) (previously codified as Commission Rule 099.13), the Commission may enter an order dismissing a claim for want of prosecution After a review of the respondents' Motion to Dismiss, the claimant's lack of desire to pursue her claim, and her failure to appear at the scheduled hearing, as well as all other matters properly before the Commission, I find that claimant has failed to prosecute this claim. Therefore, this claim is dismissed without prejudice.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

HONORABLE ERIC PAUL WELLS
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE