

FERNANDO FIGUEROA)	
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Claimant-Petitioner)	
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v.)	
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NORCONSULT ENGINEERING)	
COMPANY)	DATE ISSUED:_____
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and)	
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CIGNA INSURANCE COMPANIES)	
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Employer/Carrier-)	
Respondents)	ORDER

The parties have notified the Board that they have reached a settlement in the above-captioned case and request that the case be remanded to the district director for consideration of the proposed settlement. Section 8(i)(1) of the Act, 33 U.S.C. §908(i)(1) (1988), provides for the consideration and approval of such settlements by the administrative law judge or the district director. Consistent with this section, the Board grants the parties' motion, dismisses the appeal, and remands the case to the district director for further appropriate action.

In the event the proposed settlement is not approved and the petitioner wishes review of the merits of his appeal, the Board will reinstate the appeal upon the request of the petitioner. 33 U.S.C. §921(b)(4); 20 C.F.R. §802.405(a).

BETTY JEAN HALL, Chief
Administrative Appeals Judge

JAMES F. BROWN
Administrative Appeals Judge

NANCY S. DOLDER
Administrative Appeals Judge