LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS APPEALS BOARD

STATE OF HAWAI'I

LIONEL N. LIMA, JR.,) CASE NO.: AB 2017-326(T)(S)
Claimant-Appellant,	DCD No.: 2-03-08023
vs.	D/A: December 18, 2002
SAFETY NATIONAL-WORK COMP HI/WAILUNA RECREATION ASSOCIATION, Employer-Appellee,	May 14 2025, 12:12 pm FILED akw Labor and Industrial Relations
and	Appeals Board))
ACCLAMATION INSURANCE MANAGEMENT SERVICES,)))
Third-Party Administrator-Appellee.)))

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF ABEYANCE

On January 27, 2025, the Labor and Industrial Relations Appeals Board issued an Order Holding Case in Abeyance; Order Denying Employer's Motion; and Notice of Intention to Dismiss. In relevant part, the Board ordered that the above-referenced appeal would be held in abeyance until May 27, 2025, pending the Board's receipt of a written appearance by a court-appointed personal representative or special administrator of Claimant LIONEL N. LIMA, JR.'s estate.

On May 13, 2025, Barbara Ann Delizo-Lima ("Ms. Delizo-Lima") filed a letter with the Board, requesting a 4-month extension of the May 27,

2025 deadline. Ms. Delizo-Lima explained that she possesses little understanding of the probate process, has acquired legal counsel to assist her with this process, and is working diligently to obtain approval and confirmation to be the court-appointed personal representative or special administrator of Claimant's estate. The Board finds that Ms. Delizo-Lima has demonstrated good cause for the requested extension.

Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Ms. Delizo-Lima's May 13, 2025 request for an extension of the May 27, 2025 deadline referenced herein is GRANTED.

IT IS FURTHER HEREBY ORDERED that the Board's January 27, 2025 order is amended as follows:

IT IS HEREBY ORDRED that the above-captioned appeal be held in abeyance until **Wednesday**, **October 1**, **2025**, pending the Board's receipt of a written appearance by a court-appointed personal representative or special administrator of Claimant's estate. Such appearance is to be made on or before **Wednesday**, **October 1**, **2025**. Extensions by the Board may be granted upon good cause shown or at the discretion of the Board.

If the Board does not receive any of the above-referenced, written appearances on or before **Wednesday**, **October 1**, **2025** and no extension of this deadline is granted by the Board, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that **Employer SAFETY NATIONAL-WORK COMP HI/WAILUNA RECREATION ASSOCIATION** will have until **Wednesday**, **October 22**, **2025** to confirm, in

writing, whether or not a special administrator or personal representative of Claimant's estate was appointed on or before Wednesday, October 1, 2025, and:

- 1. If a special administrator or personal representative of Claimant's estate was not appointed on or before October 1, 2025 Employer shall file a declaration with the Board that confirms this, on or before **Wednesday**, **October 22**, **2025**.
- 2. If a special administrator or personal representative of Claimant's estate has been appointed, Employer shall, on or before **Wednesday**, **October 22**, **2025**:
 - a. Provide the special administrator or personal representative with written notice of the appeal herein, any and all Pretrial Orders pertaining to this appeal, and this Order Holding Case in Abeyance;
 - b. Give notice to the special administrator or personal representative that, on or before **November 3, 2025**, the special administrator or personal representative must enter an appearance in this appeal and indicate whether the estate plans to continue the appeal with a substitute party or the appeal will be dismissed; and
 - c. File a declaration with this Board that confirms compliance with this order and includes the identity and contact information of the special administrator or personal representative of Claimant's estate.

after **Wednesday**, **October 1**, **2025**, unless an appearance is made by either a court-appointed personal representative of Claimant's estate or a special administrator of Claimant's estate. Extensions by the Board may be granted upon good cause shown or at the discretion of the Board.

Dated: Honolulu, Hawai'i,

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DAMIEN A. ELEFANTE, Chair

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MARIE C.L. LADERTA, Member

HARRY YEE, Member

Lionel N. Lima, Jr. v. Safety National-Work Comp HI/Wailuna Recreation Association, et al.; AB 2017-326(T)(S); Order Granting Extension of Abeyance

Lionel N. Lima, Jr., Deceased (LIRAB website) Claimant-Appellant

Barbara Ann Delizo-Lima (courtesy copy)

Katharine M. Nohr, Esq. For Employer/Third-Party Administrator-Appellee

A certified copy of the foregoing was served upon the above-captioned parties or their legal representatives on the date of filing noted above.

This order was mailed on:	May 14 2025
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This certifies that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of the original on file in this office.

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