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SOL (DONALD BOWLING) V. PERRY TRANSPORT, INC.

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FEDERAL MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH REVIEW COMMISSION

OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES 2 SKYLINE, 10th FLOOR 5203 LEESBURG PIKE FALLS CHURCH, VIRGINIA 22041

SECRETARY OF LABOR, DISCRIMINATION PROCEEDINGS

MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH

ADMINISTRATION (MSHA), : Docket No. KENT 92-1052-D

On Behalf of

DONALD BOWLING, : Mine ID 15-13937 and

Complainant 15-13937 AFW

MSHA No. BARB CD 92-28 and

DONALD BOWLING,

Intervenor

v.

PERRY TRANSPORT, INC., A Corporation; STEVIE CALDWELL, :

TRUCKING, INC., a Corporation; and STEVIE CALDWELL,

an Individual,

Respondents

: Docket No. KENT 93-287-D : BARB CD-92-28 SECRETARY OF LABOR,

MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH

ADMINISTRATION (MSHA),

Surface Mine On Behalf of

DONALD R. BOWLING, Complainant

PERRY TRANSPORT, INC., DEWEY CRIGSBY, an Individual;

STEVIE CALDWELL TRUCKING, INC., a Corporation; STEVIE CALDWELL, : an Individual; and LOST MOUNTAIN: MINING COMPANY, a division of :

MCI MINING CORPORATION,

Respondents

DECISION APPROVING SETTLEMENT

Before: Judge Fauver

v.

On September 10, 1992, the Secretary filed an action (Docket No. KENT 92-1052-D) on behalf of Donald R. Bowling alleging that

Respondents violated 105(c) of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977 and requesting that Mr. Bowling be temporarily reinstated to his former position pending a proceeding on his claim of discrimination.

On January 27, 1993, the Secretary filed an action (Docket No. KENT 93-287-D) on behalf of Donald R. Bowling alleging that Respondents violated 105(c) of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977 and requesting, an inter alia, that Mr. Bowling be permanently reinstated to his former position.

The parties have moved for approval of a settlement designed to resolve all matters related to Mr. Bowling's claims in both of the above actions.

I have reviewed the documentation and representations submitted and find that the settlement is consistent with the purposes of 105(c) of the Act.

Accordingly, the motion for approval of settlement is GRANTED, and these proceedings are DISMISSED.

William Fauver Administrative Law Judge

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