

BRB No. 04-276 BLA
Case No. 00-BLA-0819

JULIA HUDSON)	
(Widow of JOSEPH HUDSON))	
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Claimant-Respondent)	
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v.)	
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EASTERN ASSOCIATED COAL)	
CORPORATION)	DATE ISSUED: <u>Feb 13, 2004</u>
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Employer-Petitioner)	
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DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF WORKERS')	
COMPENSATION PROGRAMS, UNITED)	
STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR)	
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Party-in-Interest)	ORDER

On February 6, 2004, the Board received employer's motion requesting that its appeal be withdrawn. The Board grants employer's motion and dismisses this appeal. 20 C.F.R. §802.401(a).

Employer had previously requested an extension of time to file its Petition for Review and brief. 20 C.F.R. §802.211. In light of the above, employer's motion for extension of time is moot.

By Order of the Board:

Thomas O. Shepherd, Jr.
Clerk of the Board