

APPEAL NO. 002503

This appeal arises pursuant to the Texas Workers' Compensation Act, TEX. LAB. CODE ANN. § 401.001 *et seq.* (1989 Act). A contested case hearing was held on October 2, 2000. The hearing officer determined that the respondent (claimant) is entitled to supplemental income benefits (SIBs) for the fourth quarter. Appellant (carrier) appealed this determination on sufficiency grounds. Claimant responded that the Appeals Panel should affirm the hearing officer's decision and order.

DECISION

We reverse and remand.

The audiotape of the hearing is not audible. Therefore, we must reverse and remand for reconstruction of the record.

We reverse the hearing officer's decision and order and remand for reconstruction of the record.

Judy L. Stephens
Appeals Judge

CONCUR:

Kathleen C. Decker
Appeals Judge

Kenneth A. Huchton
Appeals Judge