

APPEAL NO. 011909  
FILED OCTOBER 25, 2001

This appeal arises pursuant to the Texas Workers' Compensation Act, TEX. LAB. CODE ANN. § 401.001 *et seq.* (1989 Act). A contested case hearing (CCH) was held on July 3, 2001. The hearing officer resolved the disputed issue by deciding that the respondent (claimant) sustained a compensable injury, human immunodeficiency virus, on \_\_\_\_\_. The appellant (self-insured) appealed and the claimant responded.

DECISION

The hearing officer's decision is affirmed.

Conflicting evidence, including conflicting medical opinions, was presented at the CCH. The hearing officer is the sole judge of the weight and credibility of the evidence. Section 410.165(a). As the finder of fact, the hearing officer resolves the conflicts in the evidence and determines what facts have been established. The hearing officer's decision is supported by the claimant's testimony and by the opinion of the claimant's treating doctor. The hearing officer's decision is supported by sufficient evidence and is not so against the great weight and preponderance of the evidence as to be clearly wrong and unjust. Cain v. Bain, 709 S.W.2d 175 (Tex. 1986).

The hearing officer's decision and order are affirmed.

The true corporate name of the insurance carrier is **(CARRIER)** and the name and address of its registered agent for service of process is

**CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY  
800 BRAZOS  
AUSTIN, TEXAS 78701.**

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Robert W. Potts  
Appeals Judge

CONCUR:

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Elaine M. Chaney  
Appeals Judge

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Michael B. McShane  
Appeals Judge