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OFFICE OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION JUDGE HELENA, MONTANA

IN THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

EULA MAE HIETT.

Petitioner/Appellant,

V.

MISSOULA COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS,

Respondent/Insurer/Employer.

WCC No. 2001-0278

PETITIONER'S NOTICE OF COMMON FUND ATTORNEY FEE LIEN

COMES NOW the undersigned to give notice of an attorney fee lien to all workers' compensation insurers, who provided workers' compensation insurance coverage in Montana between 1993 and the present date, for the common fund established, preserved, increased or collected as a result of the decision of the Montana Supreme Court in *Hiett v. Missoula County Public Schools*, 2003 MT 213 (August 2003).

All ascertainable claimants should be required to contribute, in proportion to the benefits they receive, to the cost of the litigation in *Hiett*, including the undersigned's reasonable attorney fees as allowable by law.

In addition to this notice, the undersigned is filing a motion with the Montana Workers' Compensation Court requesting an order requiring the Montana Department of Labor, Employment Relations Division, to provide notice of this attorney fee lien to all applicable Plan I, II & III insurers.

DATED this May of August 2003.

SYDNEY E. McKENNA
Attorney for Petitioner, Eula Mae Hiett

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that on the // day of August 2003, I mailed a true and accurate copy of the foregoing, PETITIONER'S NOTICE OF COMMON FUND ATTORNEY FEE LIEN, postage prepaid, to the following persons:

Leo Ward Attorney at Law P.O. Box 1697 Helena, MT 59624-1697

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