

DOCKET NO. 18-07723

MIRANDA MAYRAND

OFFICE OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION

VERSUS

DISTRICT 02

CITY OF NATCHITOCHEs
POLICE DEPARTMENT

STATE OF LOUISIANA

JUDGMENT

This matter came before the Court on July 30, 2019, for Trial on the Merits. Present were: George A. Flournoy, representing Plaintiff, Miranda Mayrand; and Steven M. Oxenhandler and M. Allison Johnson, representing Defendant, City of Natchitoches.

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Considering the law, the evidence, the record of this proceeding, the arguments, and for the reasons orally assigned on October 24, 2019, it is:

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that there be judgment herein in favor of Defendant, City of Natchitoches against Plaintiff, Miranda Mayrand, finding that Plaintiff was not injured by an accident arising out of and in the course of her employment on August 2, 2018; and, therefore, Plaintiff's claims for workers' compensation benefits related to the alleged August 2, 2018 accident, including the claims for indemnity benefits, medical benefits and expenses, travel-related benefits and expenses, incidental expenses, medical reports, vocational rehabilitation benefits, penalties, attorney's fees, costs and interest, are hereby dismissed with prejudice.

FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that there be judgment herein in favor of Defendant, City of Natchitoches against Plaintiff, Miranda Mayrand, finding that treatment with Dr. Clark Gunderson is not medically necessary; and, therefore, Plaintiff's claims for medical benefits and expenses, travel-related expenses, penalties, attorney's fees, costs and interest pertaining to an evaluation and treatment recommended and/or rendered by Dr. Clark Gunderson, are hereby

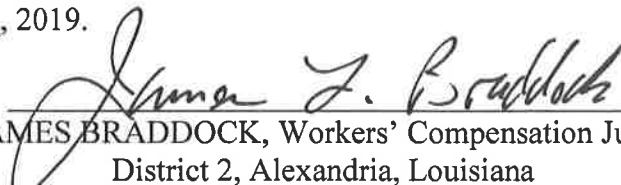
dismissed with prejudice.

FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that there be judgment herein in favor of Plaintiff, Miranda Mayrand against Defendant, City of Natchitoches, finding Plaintiff is entitled to reimbursement for medical travel-related expenses for treatment with Dr. Milan Mody, Ashley Ridge Imaging Center and Guidroz Physical Therapy, in the amount of FOUR HUNDRED TWENTY-FOUR AND 90/100 (\$424.90) DOLLARS.

FURTHER ORDERED ADJUDGED AND DECREED that there be judgment herein in favor of Defendant, City of Natchitoches against Plaintiff, Miranda Mayrand, dismissing all of Plaintiff's remaining claims set-forth in the above-captioned matter, including claims for non-payment and/or untimely payment of medical and travel related expenses; failure to furnish copies of reports of employer selected physicians; failure to provide vocational rehabilitation; discontinuance of benefits; and penalties, attorney's fees, costs, and interest, with prejudice.


FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that court costs be and they are hereby assessed against Plaintiff, Miranda Mayrand.

JUDGMENT READ AND SIGNED in Alexandria, Louisiana, on the 7th day of November, 2019.

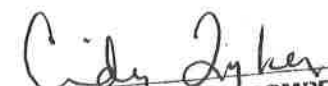

JAMES BRADDOCK, Workers' Compensation Judge
District 2, Alexandria, Louisiana

SUBMITTED BY:

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