

Board is incomplete and would not permit an informed adjudication of the case,³ the Board is unable to properly “consider and decide” appellant’s claim.

The March 8, 2017 decision of OWCP must be set aside and the case remanded to OWCP for reconstruction and proper assemblage of the case record. Following this and such further development as OWCP deems necessary, OWCP shall issue a *de novo* decision. Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the March 8, 2017 decision of the Office of Workers’ Compensation Programs is set aside and the case remanded for further proceedings consistent with this order of the Board.

Issued: February 16, 2018
Washington, DC

Christopher J. Godfrey, Chief Judge
Employees’ Compensation Appeals Board

Patricia H. Fitzgerald, Deputy Chief Judge
Employees’ Compensation Appeals Board

Alec J. Koromilas, Alternate Judge
Employees’ Compensation Appeals Board

³ *Victor Verencec*, Docket No. 90-1429 (1991).