

posture for decision. The Board finds that this September 2, 2021 letter was advisory in nature and was not a final adverse decision.

As there is no final adverse decision issued by OWCP over which the Board may properly exercise jurisdiction, the Board concludes that the appeal docketed as No. 22-0305 must be dismissed.³ Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the appeal docketed as No. 22-0305 is dismissed.

Issued: June 14, 2022
Washington, DC

Alec J. Koromilas, Chief Judge
Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

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

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "J. D. McGinley".

James D. McGinley, Alternate Judge
Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

³ *Id.*