

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA  
WESTERN DISTRICT**

COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY	:	No. 30 WAL 2017
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v.	:	Petition for Allowance of Appeal from
	:	the Order of the Commonwealth Court
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WORKERS' COMPENSATION APPEAL BOARD (PARKER)	:	
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PETITION OF: HAROLD PARKER	:	
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HAROLD PARKER,	:	No. 31 WAL 2017
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Petitioner	:	
	:	Petition for Allowance of Appeal from
	:	the Order of the Commonwealth Court
v.	:	
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WORKERS' COMPENSATION APPEAL BOARD (COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY),	:	
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Respondents	:	

**ORDER**

**PER CURIAM**

**AND NOW**, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2017, the Petition for Allowance of Appeal is  
**GRANTED**. The issues, as stated by petitioner, are:

- (a.) Whether the Commonwealth Court erred when it held, without legal precedent, that a workers' compensation claimant's attorney must disgorge and return unreasonable contest attorney's fees if the employer ultimately prevails?

- (b.) Whether the disgorgement and return of unreasonable contest attorney's fees when the employer ultimately prevails is better left to the legislature rather than the courts?