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RE: Willis Phillips v. Orangeburg County
Appellate Case No. 2026-001253

Your Honor:

1. My injury happened on 07/02/2024. At the same time, they said I was covered. My doctor's statement says the same thing.

2. They are trying to change the date to 07/25/2024 and 07/27/2024. I had no truck to drive then. I made an appointment with Southeastern Spine Institute on 07-03-2024 but the appointment was on 08/20/2024. It was hard to get in, so on 07/25/24 the pain was so great I went to the ER. The meds they prescribed for me were not available at CVS. So I had to go back on 07/30/2024 and they told me to leave there and go to primary doctor.

3. All doctor statements I got Degenerative Disc Disease from bouncing and shaking in truck – not repetitive trauma.

4. Mr. William H. Lyon offered me $500 to make this go away.

5. The dates I reported it to my supervisor were 10/24/2023, 02/15/2024, 03/19/2024, and 07/02/2024. He would not turn them in because he rode around and it hurt his hemorrhoids. Another time he told me to report it to Martin Marietta. They told me I work for Orangeburg County, and I should document every time I report it to him.

6. I presented medical evidence every time. First time he said it was not from a licensed doctor; it was. Second time it had to be from an expert. Courtney L. Snell NP and Ryan Brown, DO at MUSC ER. Zachary Buenanan , DO, at MUSC ER and Darryl Randolph Pauls, MD at MUSC ER. Latosha Lartin Corley, NP at MUSC Internal Medicine, Luis Craig III, MD at MUSC Orthopedics, Jialio, MD at Lexington Brain and Spine.

7. I showed them all medical documents and x-rays. Every time, they don't want to believe the doctors.

8. My back is messed up for life. SS put me on disability for this on 07/20/2024. If I had kept bouncing around in the trucks, I could have been paralyzed.

9. It still hurts today to walk, sit up, lay down. It hurts to make love.

10. Mr. Lyon tried to say I had going on issues. But the records he has says pain. In 2019I pulled a muscle and it took 4 months to heal. Not PDD bulging disk.

11. All doctors' records state bouncing in the truck caused this - pure medical evidence. It is the way it happened.

12. I presented my medical records every time.

13. My right knee is messed up from seat hitting back of my knee, almost bone on bone. Left knee is messed up from window motor biting in. I am a big man, and the KW trucks were too tight. Every time I saw a pot hole or dip, I had to lean over to keep my head from hitting top of truck.

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v.

William H. Lyon, Appellant/Respondent.

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I certify that I have served the Briefs (Document) on William Lyon (Name) by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on 7-9-2026 (Date) addressed to,

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