

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NORTH CAROLINA

No. 261PA15

Filed 21 December 2016

RICHARD O'NEAL, Employee

v.

INLINE FLUID POWER, INC. & AUTOMOTIVE PARTS CO., INC.,  
Employer,

AUTO OWNERS INSURANCE COMPANY,  
Carrier

On discretionary review pursuant to N.C.G.S. § 7A-31 of a unanimous, unpublished decision of the Court of Appeals, \_\_\_ N.C. App. \_\_\_, 773 S.E.2d 574 (2015), affirming an opinion and award filed on 4 June 2014 by the North Carolina Industrial Commission. Heard in the Supreme Court on 10 October 2016.

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PER CURIAM.

DISCRETIONARY REVIEW IMPROVIDENTLY ALLOWED.