STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Division of Workers' Compensation Workers' Compensation Appeals Board

**CASE NUMBER: ADJ9367193** 

KEVIN JOSEPH -vs.- JPK ENTERPRISES, INC.;

**EMPLOYERS** 

**COMPENSATION** 

**INSURANCE COMPANY,** 

WORKERS' COMPENSATION

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE: Vincenti Blas

**DATE: April 21, 2015** 

**OPINION ON DECISION** 

INTRODUCTION

The main issue presented before this court is injury AOE/COE. After hearing the testimony

and reviewing the documentary evidence the Court issues its decision.

**BACKGROUND** 

Applicant worked as a baker. Applicant claims that he injured his right shoulder while lifting

a 50lb. sack of flour. Applicant claims he reported this incident to a supervisor and no action on the

part of the employer was ever taken.

The employer testified that he was initially advised that the applicant sustained a sports

injury to his shoulder and that his first notice of an industrial claim was in January of 2015.

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**DISCUSSION** 

The Court is not going to get involved in a blow-by-blow discussion of the witnesses'

credibility. This is clearly a case of credibility. After reviewing the evidence the court is of the

impression that applicant has not met his prima facie burden under Labor Code §5705. As such the

Court finds that applicant did not sustain injury AOE/COE and all other issues are moot.

**CONCLUSION** 

Applicant has failed to meet his prima facie burden under Labor Code §5705. As such the

Court finds that applicant did not sustain injury AOE/COE. All other issues are moot.

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