

STATE OF LOUISIANA
COURT OF APPEAL, SECOND CIRCUIT
430 Fannin Street
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No. 57,240-WCW

JUANITA BROWN

VERSUS

THE KROGER COMPANY

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On application of Juanita Brown for SUPERVISORY WRIT in No. 23-04832 on the docket of the Office of Workers Compensation 1st District West, Parish of CADDO, Judge Joseph Gerald Albe, Jr.

Juanita Brown

In Proper Person

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The Kroger Company
Kroger Texas LP

Before STONE, COX, and THOMPSON, JJ.

WRIT GRANTED; REMANDED FOR PERFECTION AS APPEAL.

Applicant Juanita Brown seeks review of the June 16, 2026, ruling of the workers' compensation judge ordering her to pay \$500.00 attorney fees as a sanction for violation of La C.C.P. art. 863, namely false certifications of service on pleadings. This judgment is an appealable partial final judgment under La. C.C.P. art. 1915(A)(6); La. C.C.P. art. 1841(B)(2). The applicant's notice of intent to seek supervisory review was timely as a motion for appeal, and under *Shows v. Shows*, 434 So. 2d 1090 (La. 1983), the trial court's order setting the return date is hereby treated as an order of appeal. Accordingly, this matter is remanded to the trial court for perfection as an appeal. The Clerk of the Office of Workers' Compensation, Caddo Parish, District 1 West, is hereby ordered to

forward to this Court on or before November 20, 2026, duplicate certified copies of the record in the above captioned matter.

Shreveport, Louisiana, this 6 day of October, 2026.

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