## **United States Department of Labor Employees' Compensation Appeals Board**

J.G., Appellant	)	
,	)	Declar No. 20 0007
and	)	Docket No. 20-0087 Issued: August 16, 2021
TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY,	)	
PARADISE FOSSIL PLANT, Drakesboro, KY,	)	
Employer	)	
	)	
Appearances:		Case Submitted on the Record
Appellant, pro se		
Office of Solicitor, for the Director		

## **ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL**

Before:
ALEC J. KOROMILAS, Chief Judge
JANICE B. ASKIN, Judge
PATRICIA H. FITZGERALD, Alternate Judge

On October 9, 2019 appellant sought appeal from a purported September 20, 2019 decision of the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs (OWCP). The Board assigned Docket No. 20-0087.

The Board, having duly considered the matter, notes that its jurisdiction is limited to the review of final adverse OWCP decisions issued under the Federal Employees' Compensation Act (FECA)<sup>1</sup> and 20 C.F.R. §§ 501.2(c) and 501.3. This jurisdiction encompasses any final decision issued by OWCP within 180 days of the date appellant filed his appeal.<sup>2</sup> The case record as transmitted to the Board does not contain a final adverse decision dated September 20, 2019. The last OWCP decision of record was a July 1, 2016 decision of OWCP.<sup>3</sup> As there is no final adverse decision issued by OWCP over which the Board may properly exercise jurisdiction, the Board concludes that the appeal docketed as No. 20-0087 must be dismissed. Accordingly,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 5 U.S.C. § 8101 et seq.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 20 C.F.R. § 501.3(e).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Docket No. 16-1533 (issued March 15, 2018).

## IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the appeal docketed as No. 20-0087 is dismissed.

Issued: August 16, 2021 Washington, DC

> Alec J. Koromilas, Chief Judge Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

> Janice B. Askin, Judge Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

> Patricia H. Fitzgerald, Alternate Judge Employees' Compensation Appeals Board