STATE OF NEW YORK
INDUSTRIAL BOARD OF APPEALS

In the Matter of the Petition of:

ISAAC STEIN AND MONROE ORTHOTICS AND PROSTHETICS, INC.

Petitioners,

To Review Under Section 101 of the Labor Law:
Two Orders to Comply With Article 6 of the Labor Law and an Order Under Article 19 of the Labor Law, each dated April 29, 2011,

- against -

THE COMMISSIONER OF LABOR,

Respondent.

APPEARANCES

Isaac Stein, petitioner pro se, and for Monroe Orthotics and Prosthetics, Inc.

Pico Ben-Amotz, Acting Counsel, NYS Department of Labor (Michael Paglialonga of counsel), for respondent.

WHEREAS:

This proceeding was commenced when the petitioners filed a petition with the Industrial Board of Appeals (Board) on August 19, 2011. The petition was served on the respondent Commissioner of Labor (Commissioner) on September 19, 2011. The Commissioner moved October 24, 2011 to dismiss the petition as untimely because it was filed more than 60 days after the order was issued.

Labor Law § 101 (1) states that:

"Except where otherwise prescribed by law, any person in interest or his duly authorized agent may petition the board for a review of the validity or reasonableness of any . . . order made by the commissioner. . . . Such petition shall be filed with the board no later than sixty days after the issuance of such . . . order."
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Dated and signed by a Member of the Industrial Board of Appeals at Rochester, New York, on June 27, 2012.