IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

ALEX R. SMITH,		§	
		§	No. 300, 2001
En	nployee Below,	§	
Ap	pellant,	§	Court Below: Superior Court of
-	-	§	the State of Delaware in and for
V.		§	New Castle County
		§	-
RODEL, INC.,		§	C. A. No. 00A-11-001
		§	
En	nployer Below,	§	
Ap	pellee.	§	
		§	
V.		§	
		§	
1 st CHOICE HEALTH CARE,		§	
Joined as a Party pur	suant to 19	§	
Del. C. § 2346.		§	
	Submitte	ed:	November 8, 2001
	Decided		November 9, 2001
	Decideu	•	November 9, 2001

Before VEASEY, Chief Justice, WALSH and HOLLAND, Justices.

<u>O R D E R</u>

This 9th day of November 2001, upon consideration of the briefs of the parties, it

appears to the Court that the judgment of the Superior Court should be affirmed on the

basis of and for the reasons set forth in its decision dated June 19, 2001.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the judgment of the Superior Court is **AFFIRMED.**

BY THE COURT:

/s/ E. Norman Veasey Chief Justice