

**STATE OF LOUISIANA**  
**COURT OF APPEAL, FIRST CIRCUIT**

JERRY NEAL

NO. 2016 CW 1053

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ST. TAMMANY PARISH HOSPITAL

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In Re: St. Tammany Parish Hospital, applying for supervisory writs, Office of Workers' Compensation, District 06, No. 16-01412 c/w 16-01416.

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**BEFORE: GUIDRY, McDONALD AND THERIOT, JJ.**

**REQUEST FOR SUPERVISORY REVIEW OF JULY 1, 2016 JUDGMENT DENIED. REQUEST FOR SUPERVISORY REVIEW OF JULY 13, 2016 JUDGMENT NOT CONSIDERED.** Defendant, St. Tammany Parish Hospital, seeks review of the July 1, 2016 judgment denying its request for a protective order limiting the scope of the adjuster's deposition. However, in its writ application, defendant advises the Court that the adjuster's deposition was taken on July 7, 2016. It is well settled that courts should not decide abstract, hypothetical or moot controversies, or render advisory opinions with respect to such controversies. **St. Charles Parish School Board v. GAF Corporation**, 512 So.2d 1165, 1170 (La. 1987) (*on rehearing*). We find that the defendant's request for a protective order is a moot controversy because the adjuster's deposition has already been taken and, for this reason, we decline to review that portion of the July 1st judgment. We also decline to review the portion of the July 1st judgment that assessed attorneys' fees against the defendant because the defendant failed to provide the Court with the documents necessary to review that ruling. Specifically, the defendant failed to provide the Court with a copy of the documents that were attached to the opposition the plaintiff filed in the lower court, and the defendant failed to provide the Court with a copy of the documents that were introduced into evidence at the June 24, 2016 hearing.

This court will not consider relator's request for supervisory review of the July 13, 2016 judgment denying defendant's request for rehearing because the relator has improperly requested supervisory review of multiple judgments in a single writ application. The relator may only request supervisory review of the July 13, 2016 judgment by filing a separate writ application with respect to this judgment. Supplementation of this writ application or an application for rehearing will not be considered. Rules 4-9 and 2-18.7, Uniform Rules of Louisiana Courts of Appeal.


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In the event relator seeks to file a new application with this Court, it must contain all pertinent contents and documentation, it must be filed on or before November 1, 2016, and it must contain a copy of this order.

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