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/s/ John A. Pearce
Justice

## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF UTAH

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SALT LAKE COUNTY,
Petitioner and Cross-respondent,
v.
THERESA CHRISTENSEN
Respondent and Cross-petitioner,

LABOR COMMISSION, Respondent.

## **ORDER**

Supreme Court Case No. 20230965-SC

Court of Appeals Case No. 20200391-CA

Trial Court Case No. 8-7-0290

This matter is before the court upon a Petition for Writ of Certiorari, filed on November 1, 2023, and a Cross-Petition for Writ of Certiorari, filed on November 30, 2023.

The Petition for Writ of Certiorari is granted as to the following issues:

- 1. Whether a majority of the panel of the Court of Appeals erred in its construction and application of this Court's decision in *Injured Workers Association of Utah v. State*, 2016 UT 21, 374 P.3d 14, in relation to awards of attorney fees issued by the Labor Commission.
- 2. Whether a majority of the panel of the Court of Appeals erred in affirming the Labor Commission Appeals Board's determination that Respondent Theresa Christensen suffered retaliation for raising claims of discrimination.
- 3. Whether a majority of the panel of the Court of Appeals erred in affirming the Labor Commission Appeals Board's award of compensation for vacation and sick leave and amounts withdrawn from a retirement account.

The Cross-Petition for Writ of Certiorari is granted as to the following issues:

- 1. Whether a majority of the panel of the Court of Appeals erred in concluding the Utah Antidiscrimination Act does not permit an award of noneconomic damages.
- 2. Whether a majority of the panel of the Court of Appeals erred in declining to address Cross-Petitioner's argument relating to the standard applied to causation in discrimination and retaliation cases.
- 3. Whether a majority of the panel of the Court of Appeals erred in declining to address Cross-Petitioner's argument relating to the substitution of the administrative law judge during the course of the administrative adjudicative proceedings.

A briefing schedule will be established hereafter. The parties shall comply with the briefing schedule upon its issuance. Requests for extension are disfavored, but may be granted with good cause.

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