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THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SUPREME COURT

In Case No. 2012-0253, Appeal of Thomas F. DeSteph, the court on June 20, 2012, issued the following order:

Thomas DeSteph's motion for addendum to his notice of appeal is granted. The Insurance Department's motion for summary affirmance is denied. The court expresses no view, at this time, on the Insurance Department's arguments that Mr. DeSteph has failed to preserve issues for the court's review.

Appeal from a decision of the Insurance Department is accepted and will be submitted to the full court on briefs, without oral argument.

This case appears to be eligible for mediation pursuant to Rule 12-A. Under Rule 12-A(2), the agreement of all parties is required for appellate mediation. If all parties in this case agree to participate in mediation, Thomas DeSteph shall submit the completed Appellate Mediation Agreement form to the court on or before July 5, 2012. An Appellate Mediation Agreement form (NHJB-2614-SUP) is being provided to Thomas DeSteph with this order. If an Appellate Mediation Agreement form is not filed, an order will be issued regarding further proceedings.

Dalianis, C.J., and Hicks, Conboy, and Lynn, JJ., participated.

Eileen Fox,
Clerk

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