

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
)
 COUNTY OF RICHLAND)

BEFORE THE SOUTH CAROLINA
 PROCUREMENT REVIEW PANEL
 CASE NO. 1988-2

IN THE MATTER OF PROTEST OF)
 WAREHOUSE DISTRIBUTING COMPANY)
 OF AWARD OF CONTRACT #6-062-1108200-)
 12/7/87)

ORDER

On March 30, 1988, the South Carolina Procurement Review Panel ("Panel") issued its Order in the above case awarding the Protestant Warehouse Distributing Company ("Warehouse") such costs and attorneys' fees as the Panel determined appropriate. Warehouse has submitted its request for costs and fees supported by the documents attached hereto as Exhibit 1. The Respondent Division of General Services has submitted its comments on Warehouse's request and such comments are attached hereto as Exhibit 2. Considering the information presented, the Panel finds as follows.

The Division of General Services is ordered to pay to Walter M. Bailey, Jr., counsel for Warehouse, the sum of \$980.20, which represents \$23.95 in expenses and \$956.25 in fees for 12.75 hours work at \$75.00 per hour. The Panel finds that \$75.00, which is the highest rate approved by the Attorney General of South Carolina for outside work performed by attorneys in a specialized area, is a reasonable rate in this case.

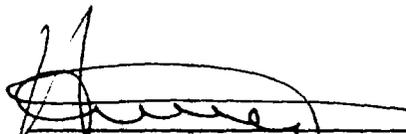
The Division of General Services is further ordered to pay to Warehouse the sum of \$100.32, which represents \$40.32 for Mr. Harmon's travel to Columbia to the hearing (192 miles at \$.21 per mile) and \$60.00 for Warehouse's office and telephone expenses.

The Panel finds that \$.21 per mile, which is the mileage allowed state employees, is reasonable in this case. The rest of Warehouse's listed expenses are disallowed.

Finally, the Panel declines to award Williams & Williams its charges in this case because of the impossibility of determining from the statement submitted what services were performed.

General Services is ordered to pay the sums as directed above within sixty (60) days from the date of this Order.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



Hugh K. Leatherman, Sr.
Chairman

4-27-88, 1988
Columbia, South Carolina