

CONNECTICUT

Gill v. Brescome Barton, Inc.

Connecticut (May 26, 2015)

SUMMARY

The Connecticut Supreme Court held that, under the unusual circumstances of a claimant's simultaneous bilateral knee replacement surgeries arising from separate compensable injuries, a workers' compensation commissioner had authority to require one insurance carrier to reimburse another for one-half of the claimant's temporary total disability payments. The court concluded that the commissioner's allocation was a reasonable means of avoiding double recovery while preventing one carrier from becoming a free rider. The court affirmed the Appellate Court's judgment.

CASE DETAILS

JURISDICTION	Connecticut
DECIDED	May 26, 2015

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