

Minutes: Occupational Safety and Health Review Board, Sept. 9, 2023

Call to order

- Board members present: Chair Robert Sogla and board members Christopher Strand and David Lillback; a quorum was met.
- Also present:
 - Erik Johnson, assistant attorney general, counsel for the board;
 - Peggy Charpentier, executive secretary for the Occupational Safety and Health Review Board;
 - Holly Schultz, Nevers Industries, Inc.;
 - Erik Smith, E and T Cleaning Service LLC;
 - Ali Afsharjavan, attorney for Minnesota OSHA (MNOSHA);
 - Laura Zajac, Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry; and
 - Ben Lassell, Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry.

Approval of agenda

- Motion to approve the agenda by Christopher Strand, seconded by David Lillback. The board voted to unanimously approve the agenda.

Approval of minutes

- Motion to approve the May 19, 2023, minutes by Lillback, seconded by Strand. The board voted to unanimously approve the agenda.
- Motion to approve the June 2, 2023, minutes by Strand, seconded by Lillback. The board voted to unanimously approve the agenda.

New business

- Commissioner, et al. v. E and T Cleaning Service, LLC, federal inspection 318180601
 - Erik Smith appeared on behalf of the petitioner.
 - Ali Afsharjavan appeared on behalf of MNOSHA.
- Commissioner, et al. v. Nevers Industries, Inc., federal inspection 318189545
 - Holly Schultz appeared on behalf of the petitioner.
 - Ali Afsharjavan appeared on behalf of MNOSHA.

Closed session

Open session

- Commissioner, et al. v. Nevers Industries, Inc., federal inspection 318189545
 - Motion to grant petition to vacate by Christopher Strand, seconded by David Lillback. The board voted unanimously. Motion passed.
- Commissioner, et al. v. E and T Cleaning Service, LLC, federal inspection 318180601
 - Motion to continue to Dec. 1, 2023, meeting by David Lillback, seconded by Christopher Strand. The board voted unanimously. Motion passed.

Approval of adjournment

- Motion to adjourn by Lillback, seconded by Strand. The board voted unanimously to adjourn. Meeting was adjourned.