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IN THE SUPREME COURT
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

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Patricia Deraas, Claimant and Appellant

v.

Workforce Safety and Insurance, Appellee
and
Bobcat Company/Ingersoll Rand, Respondent and Appellee

No. 20070016

Appeal from the District Court of Burleigh County, South Central Judicial District, the Honorable Gail H. Hagerty, Judge.

AFFIRMED.

Per Curiam.

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[¶1] Patricia Deraas appealed from a district court judgment affirming an order of Workforce Safety & Insurance ("WSI") denying her further workers' compensation benefits. Deraas argued she continues to suffer from compensable injuries and, therefore, WSI wrongfully denied her further benefits. WSI's finding that Deraas did not continue to suffer from compensable injuries is supported by a preponderance of the evidence. We summarily affirm under N.D.R.App.P. 35.1(a)(5).

[¶2] Gerald W. VandeWalle, C.J.
Mary Muehlen Maring
Daniel J. Crothers
Lawrence A. Leclerc, S.J.
John C. Irby, D.J.

[¶3] The Honorable Lawrence A. Leclerc, S.J., and the Honorable John Charles Irby, D.J., sitting in place of Sandstrom, J., and Kapsner, J., disqualified.