



UNITED STATES
CIVILIAN BOARD OF CONTRACT APPEALS

June 27, 2008

CBCA 1151-RELO

In the Matter of ERIK L. SIMMONS

Erik L. Simmons, Corpus Christi, TX, Claimant.

Patrick J. Cunningham, Director, Indianapolis Transportation Payment Operations, Defense Finance and Accounting Service, Indianapolis, IN, appearing for the Department of Defense.

HYATT, Board Judge.

Erik L. Simmons, claimant, requested the Board's review of the agency's denial of his claim to be reimbursed the costs of shipping and storing his household goods in connection with a permanent change of station. The agency had disallowed the claim because Mr. Simmons paid the shipper himself, rather than have the shipper submit the bill directly to the agency. After this claim was filed at the Board, the agency arranged to resolve the matter by paying the shipper directly, on the condition that the shipper in turn reimburse Mr. Simmons. Mr. Simmons recently advised the Board that he has been paid the monies in issue and the matter may now be closed.

Accordingly, this claim is dismissed.

CATHERINE B. HYATT
Board Judge