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THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
BEFORE
THE OFFICE OF EMPLOYEE APPEALS

In the Matter of:)	
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WILLARD BLACKWELL)	
Employee)	
)	OEA Matter No. 1601-0097-86AF00
)	
v.)	Date of Issuance: April 25, 2003
)	
METROPOLITAN POLICE)	
DEPARTMENT)	
Agency)	

OPINION AND ORDER
ON
PETITION FOR REVIEW

This matter having come before the Board upon Agency's Petition for Review of an Addendum Decision On Attorney Fees issued February 7, 2002, and the Board having carefully reviewed the entire record and that decision, the Board concludes that the Administrative Judge based her decision on substantial evidence in the record and correctly stated the applicable law. Accordingly, the Addendum Decision On Attorney Fees is hereby adopted as the opinion of the Board and is hereby **AFFIRMED**.

ORDER

Accordingly, it is hereby **ORDERED** that Agency's Petition for Review
is **DENIED**.

FOR THE BOARD:

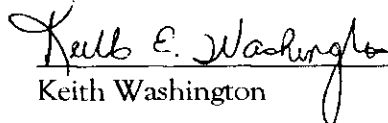


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