STATE OF NEW YORK INDUSTRIAL BOARD OF APPEALS	
In the Matter of the Petition of:	-x :
ANDREW KIRTZMAN,	: :
Petitioner,	: DOCKET NO. PR 18-025
To Review Under Section 101 of the Labor Law: An Order to Comply with Article 19 of the Labor Law, dated July 7, 2015,	:
- against -	: :
THE COMMISSIONER OF LABOR,	: :
Respondent.	: :
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Andrew Kirtzman, New York, New York, petitioner pro se.

Pico Ben-Amotz, General Counsel, NYS Department of Labor, Albany (Steven J. Pepe of counsel), for respondent.

APPEARANCES

WHEREAS:

This proceeding was commenced when petitioner filed a petition with the Industrial Board of Appeals (Board) on June 13, 2018 in an envelope post-marked June 12, 2018. The Board served the petition on respondent Commissioner of Labor on July 2, 2018. Respondent moved on July 25, 2018 to dismiss the petition as untimely. Petitioner did not respond to the motion.

Labor Law § 101 (1) provides that:

"Except where otherwise prescribed by law, any person in interest or his duly authorized agent may petition the board for a review of the validity or reasonableness of any . . . order made by the commissioner . . . Such petition shall be filed with the board no later than sixty days after the issuance of such . . . order."

The orders to be reviewed were issued on July 7, 2015, and therefore, any petition for review filed with the Board with a post-mark after September 8, 2015¹ is untimely (id.; Board

¹Sixty days after the date on the issuance of the order to comply is September 5, 2015, which was a Saturday. Monday, September 7, 2015 was a legal holiday. Thus, under Board Rules of Procedure and Practice § 65.3(a), the 60-day period runs through September 8, 2015.

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Dated and signed by the Members of the Industrial Board of Appeals in New York, New York, on October 24, 2018.

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