

RICHARD J. WILLIS

v.

MAINE EDUCATION ASSOCIATION et al.

Submitted on Briefs May 30, 2002
Decided June 4, 2002

Panel: SAUFLEY, C.J., and CLIFFORD, RUDMAN, ALEXANDER, CALKINS,
and LEVY, JJ.

MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

Richard J. Willis appeals from the judgment of the Superior Court (York County, *Brennan, J.*), *see* M.R.S.C.P. 11, affirming the judgment of the District Court (Springvale, *Foster, J.*) granting judgment for the defendants in Willis's small claims action. Willis asserts errors by the District Court, including failure to order mediation rather than proceeding to a hearing. He also argues that the District Court should have found in his favor in his action seeking reimbursement for attorney fees paid to his retained counsel for pursuit of his disability retirement claim, after he discharged the legal assistance provided through the Maine Education Association's legal services plan.

Willis provided no transcript or any alternate statement of the evidence from the District Court. *See* M.R. App. P. 5(b)(2), (d), (f). Without a transcript, there is no way to review Willis's complaints about the fact-finding. *See Putnam v. Albee*, 1999 ME 44, ¶ 10, 726 A.2d 217, 219-20.

We find no error of law indicated on the face of the judgment or in the record.

The entry is:

Judgment affirmed.

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