

Docket Number: 1136

G. R. SPONAUGLE & SONS, INC.

~~Robert K. Haynes, Executive Vice President~~  
C. Grainger Bowman, Esquire

**CLOSED**

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

~~John A. Kane, Chief Counsel~~  
Bruce G. Baron, Esquire

**August 19, 1987**

Claim and filing fee filed by attorney for Plaintiff, additional information to be requested. Amount of Claim: \$40,955.05.

**August 28, 1987**

Notice of Claim letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant.

**September 4, 1987**

Letter forwarded to Mr. Haynes requesting additional information.

**September 10, 1987**

Additional information received from Mr. Haynes

**September 11, 1987**

Receipt for entry of appearance of Grainger Bowman filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

**September 11, 1987**

Copy of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General.

**September 17, 1987**

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from Office of Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Office of Attorney General September 11, 1987.

**September 17, 1987**

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by Defendant September 14, 1987.

**October 27, 1987**

Answer (letter form) admitting all allegations filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

**November 2, 1987**

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: **"AND NOW,** this 2nd day of November 1987, upon consideration of the record, the pleading filed and response thereto and the need for an in-depth determination, it is hereby **ORDERED** and **DIRECTED** that an Exploratory Hearing be held before the Board of Claims in Court Room No. 1, 707 Transportation and Safety Building, Harrisburg,

**November 2, 1987 (cont'd)**

Pennsylvania, commencing at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, November 5, 1987."

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**November 3, 1987**

Copies of Opinion and Order dated November 2, 1987 forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

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**November 5, 1987**

Exploratory Hearing held in Board's Courtroom No. 1 at 10:00 a.m. Case completed.

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**November 5, 1987**

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated November 3, 1987 received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant November 5, 1987.

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**November 5, 1987**

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated November 3, 1987 received from Plaintiff. Receipt of same acknowledged by Plaintiff November 5, 1987.

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**November 6, 1987**

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: "**AND NOW**, this 6th day of November, 1987, premised on the record, the pleadings herein and the testimony presented, it is hereby **ORDERED** and **DIRECTED** that the settlement between the parties be and hereby is accepted and that the Defendant, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Public Welfare is obligated and **DIRECTED** to pay the Plaintiff, G.R. Sponaugle & Sons, Inc. herein the sum of Forty Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty-Five Dollars and Five Cents (\$40,955.05).

It is further **ORDERED** that, upon receipt of payment of said Award, Plaintiff, G. R. Sponaugle & Sons, Inc., shall forthwith file with the Board a Praecipe that the case be marked settled, discontinued and ended with prejudice. Each party to bear its own costs other than the filing fee included in Award." Copies forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

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**November 16, 1987**

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated November 6, 1987 received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant November 9, 1987.

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**December 1, 1987**

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated November 6, 1987 received from Plaintiff. Receipt of same acknowledged by Plaintiff November 30, 1987.

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**December 2, 1987**

Testimony for hearing held November 5, 1987 filed.

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**December 4, 1987**

Copy of testimony for hearing held November 5, 1987 forwarded to attorney for Defendant.

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**December 14, 1987**

Acceptance of Service of testimony for hearing held November 5, 1987 received from Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by Defendant December 8, 1988.

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**November 23, 1988**

**CLOSED**  
The Board rendered an opinion and made the following Order: "AND NOW, this 23rd day of November, 1988, this Order is issued as a result of the failure of counsel to advise the Board of Claims within 90 days of March 12, 1988, whether or not Claimant received the monies directed to be paid to said Claimant. It is therefore ~~DIRECTED~~ that the record shall be marked closed and settled with prejudice." Copies forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

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**November 29, 1988**

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated November 23, 1988 received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant November 25, 1988.

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**December 2, 1988**

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated November 23, 1988 received from attorney for Plaintiff. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff November 30, 1988.

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