Docket Number: 1705

PRECISION PIPING, INC.

Barbara Sumple-Sullivan, Esquire

VS.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES

Michael J. Daley, Chief Counsel
Elizabeth O'Reilly, Assistant Counsel

February 17, 1993

Claim and filing fee filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Amount of Claim: \$15,942.00+.

February 23, 1993

Copy of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General. ANSWER DUE FROM DEFENDANT MARCH 23, 1993.

February 26, 1993

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant February 24, 1993.

March 3, 1993

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Chief Deputy Attorney General February 25, 1993.

March 22, 1993

Answer and New Matter filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

April 12, 1993

Reply to New Matter filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

*February 7, 1994

Entry of Appearance of Elizabeth O'Reilly, Assistant Counsel on behalf of Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

February 28, 1994

Department's Answers to Plaintiff's Interrogatories - First Set Directed to Defendant, Department of General Services filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

March 21, 1994

Plaintiff's Interrogatories to Defendant - First Set Directed to Defendant filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

April 4, 1994

Plaintiff's Motion to Compel Answers to Interrogatories Directed

to Defendant and Proposed Order filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant and attorney for Plaintiff.

May 5, 1994

Plaintiff's Brief in Support of Motion to Compel filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Defendant.

June 6, 1994

Defendant's Brief in Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion to Compel filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

August 16, 1994

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: "AND NOW, this 16th day of August, 1994, the Defendant, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of General Services, is DIRECTED to Answer the Interrogatories in accordance with Pennsylvania Rules of Civil Procedure within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order." Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

August 23, 1994

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated August 16, 1994 received from attorney for Plaintiff. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff August 17, 1994.

October 13, 1994

Motion for Sanctions/Motion for Contempt filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

October 14, 1994

Interrogatories of Defendant, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of General Services. copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

November 1, 1994

Motion for Protective Order and proposed Order filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

November 23, 1994

Plaintiff's Brief in Support of Motion for Protective Order filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

December 8, 1994

Respondent's Brief in Support of Plaintiff's Motion for Protective Order filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

December 30, 1995

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: "AND NOW, this 30th day of December, 1995, it is ORDERED and DECREED that Plaintiff's, Precision Piping, Inc.'s, Motion for Sanctions/Contempt and Motion for Protective Order are DENIED. Counsel for Plaintiff may raise the Motions during, or at the end of, the trial hereof. Counsel for both parties are admonished to continue discovery in good faith and in the spirit of providing the Board of Claims with all pertinent and relevant facts." Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

January 31, 1995

Plaintiff's Responses to Interrogatories of Defendant, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of General Services to Precision Piping, Inc. (First Set) filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

April 20, 1995

Request for Production of Documents by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of General Services, Addressed to Precision Piping filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

July 25, 1995

Defendant's Motion for Summary Judgment filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

October 16, 1995

Plaintiff's Brief in Opposition to Defendant's Motion for Summary Judgment filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

October 16, 1995

Affidavit of Robert E. Traylor, Jr., filed by attorney for Plaintiff. December 5, 1995

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: "AND

NOW, this 5th day of December, 1995, the Defendant, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of General Services' Motion in the nature of a Motion for Summary Judgment is DENIED." Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

December 7, 1995

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated December 5, 1995 received from attorney for Plaintiff. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff December 6, 1995.

February 27, 1996

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated December 5, 1995 received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant December 6, 1996.

August 6, 1996

Praecipe to Discontinue filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

September 10, 1996

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: "AND NOW, this 10th day of September, 1996, it is **ORDERED** and **DECREED** that this case be marked "discontinued and terminated with prejudice." Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

September 19, 1996

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated September 10, 1996 received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant September 17, 1996.