Docket Number: 1713

JOHNSON, MIRMIRAN & THOMPSON, P.C.

Kenneth L. Sable, Esquire

VS.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

John J. Robinson, Jr., Chief Claims Attorney

March 29, 1993

Claim and filing fee filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Amount of Claim: \$124,226.09.

April 19, 1993

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

April 21, 1993

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant April 20, 1993.

April 22, 1993

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Chief Deputy Attorney General April 20, 1993.

May 6, 1993

Answer filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

May 11, 1993

Letter accepting Defendant's offer of payment of Claim in the amount of \$122,048.35 filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

June 24, 1993

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: "AND NOW, this 24th day of June, 1993, it is ORDERED and DIRECTED that the Defendant, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Transportation, is indebted unto the Plaintiff, Johnson, Mirmiran & Thompson, P.C., in the full and true sum of One Hundred Twenty-Two Thousand Forty-Eight Dollars and Thirty-Five Cents (\$122,048.35). Upon receipt of payment of said award, Plaintiff shall forthwith file with the Board a Praecipe that the case be marked settled and ended with prejudice. Each party to bear its own costs and attorney fees". Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

June 28, 1993

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated June 24, 1993 received from Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Chief Deputy Attorney General June 28, 1993.

June 29, 1993

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated June 24, 1993 received from attorney for Plaintiff. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff June 28, 1993.

NOVEMBER 15, 1993

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: "AND NOW, this 15th day of November, 1993, a Rule to Show Cause is issued upon Plaintiff, Johnson, Mirmiran & Thompson, P.C., wherein it is directed that Plaintiff advise the Board within thirty (30) days of this Order whether or not Plaintiff has received the sum of money directed by the Board of Claims. This Rule shall become absolute and the case shall be marked closed and settled with prejudice in the event the Board does not receive a response to said Rule." Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

November 17, 1993

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated November 15, 1993 received from attorney for Plaintiff. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff November 16, 1993.

November 19, 1993

Acceptance of Service of Order dated November 17, 1993 received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant November 18, 1993.

March 15, 1994

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: "AND NOW, this 15th day of March, 1994, this Order is issued as a result of the failure of Plaintiff, Johnson, Mirmiran & Thompson, P.C., to advise the Board of Claims within thirty (30) days of November 15, 1993, whether or not Plaintiff received the monies directed to be paid to Plaintiff. It is therefore DIRECTED that the record shall be marked 'closed and settled with prejudice'." Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

March 16, 1994

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated March 15, 1994 received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant March 15, 1994.