

Docket Number: 2051-P

KUTZTOWN MANOR

~~Jeffrey W. Bechtel, Esquire~~
~~John Kennedy, Esquire~~
~~Louis J. Capozzi, Esquire~~
Randy J. Riley, Esquire

VS.

**COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE**

~~John A. Kane, Chief Counsel~~
Catherine Stewart, Assistant Counsel

January 3, 1996

Claim and filing fee filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Amount of Claim: \$33,863.00

January 12, 1996

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

January 19, 1996

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Chief Deputy Attorney General January 17, 1996.

January 25, 1996

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for defendant January 17, 1996.

March 4, 1996

Answer and New Matter filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant. REPLY DUE FROM PLTF. APRIL 24, 1996.

April 25, 1996

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

April 9, 1997

Letter forwarded to parties requesting status. Response due from parties May 9, 1997.

May 12, 1997

Letter forwarded to parties requesting status of case. Response due from parties June 12, 1997.

May 27, 1997

Status letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are commencing with discovery.

August 25, 1997

Entry of Appearance of Louis J. Capozzi, Esquire, filed on

behalf of Plaintiff.

September 3, 1997

Withdrawal of Appearance of Kimber L. Latsha, Esquire filed on behalf of Plaintiff.

December 9, 1997

Letter forwarded to parties requesting status. Response due from parties January 9, 1998.

January 13, 1998

2nd letter forwarded to parties requesting status. Response due from parties February 15, 1998.

March 5, 1998

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are, at present, conducting settlement negotiations. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

March 5, 1998

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are conducting settlement negotiations. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

November 4, 1998

Status letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are in discovery.

May 30, 2000

Letter forwarded to parties requesting status. Response due from parties June 30, 2000.

June 14, 2000

Status letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are conducting settlement negotiations and further advising that if settlement negotiations are not possible, the Plaintiff will request a hearing be set.

January 2, 2001

Letter forwarded to parties requesting status. Response due from

parties February 2, 2001.

March 19, 2001

Letter forwarded to parties requesting status. Response due from parties April 19, 2001.

April 17, 2001

Status letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are in discovery and upon completion the parties will commence with settlement negotiations.

October 22, 2001

Letter forwarded to parties requesting status. Response due from parties November 26, 2001.

November 26, 2001

Letter received from Plaintiff advising that they are conducting an extensive review of documentation in order to prepare a position paper and settlement offer to be forwarded to Defendant.

June 13, 2002

Letter forwarded to parties requesting status. Response due from parties July 15, 2002.

July 16, 2002

Letter received via facimile advising that the parties are conducting settlement negotiations.

July 17, 2002

Letter received via U.S. Mail advising that the parties are conducting settlement negotiations.

August 12, 2002

Notice of Service of Plaintiff's First Set of Interrogatories as well as First Request for Production of Documents filed by attorney for Plaintiff.

October 7, 2004

Plaintiff filed Praecipe to Settle, Discontinue and End.

October 15, 2004

Board rendered Opinion and Order. Order as follows: "**AND NOW**, this 15th day of October, 2004, upon receipt of a praecipe to discontinue action filed by Daniel K. Natirboff, Esquire, docketed with this Board under date of October 7, 2004, it is **ORDERED** and **DIRECTED** that said case be marked 'closed, discontinued and ended with prejudice.'" Copy forwarded to Plaintiff and Defendant.

October 21, 2004

Plaintiff filed Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated October 15, 2004. Receipt of same acknowledged by Plaintiff October 19, 2004.