

Docket Number: 2284

SAINT JOHN NEUMANN NURSING HOME

~~Charles E. Caniff, Jr., Esquire~~  
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Nicholas Deenis, Esquire

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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

~~John A. Kane, Chief Counsel~~  
~~Lesley Smith Oakes, Assistant Counsel~~  
Carol Ulichney, Assistant Counsel

**November 19, 1996**

Claim and filing fee filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Amount of Claim: In excess of \$300.00.

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**December 4, 1996**

Copy of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General. **ANSWER DUE FROM DEFENDANT 1/3/97.**

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**December 11, 1996**

Acceptance of Service of Complaint received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant December 6, 1996.

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Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting a 30-day extension of time to file a reponse to the Claim.

**Same granted 1/7/97.**

**Defendant's Response due 2/3/97.**

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**January 30, 1997**

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

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**February 6, 1997**

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

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**January 30, 1997**

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

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**February 6, 1997**

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

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**February 13, 1997**

Letter forwarded to parties directing them to proceed with discovery.

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**August 29, 1997**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status report. **Response due from the parties 9/29/97.**

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**September 30, 1997**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status report.  
**Response due 10/30/97.**

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**October 30, 1997**

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are in the process of conducting discovery.

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**March 17, 1998**

Letter forwarded to the parties requesting a status report.  
**Response due 3/17/98.**

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**March 16, 1998**

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are in the process of exchanging information.

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**October 29, 1999**

Substitution of Appearance of Nicholas Deenis, Esquire on behalf of Plaintiff filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

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**January 13, 2000**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting status. Response due from parties February 14, 2000.

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**February 2, 2000**

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are in settlement negotiations.

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**August 28, 2000**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting status. Response due from parties September 28, 2000.

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**September 21, 2000**

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are conducting discovery and continuing to negotiate a settlement.

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**February 12, 2001**

Entry of Appearance of Carol Ulichney, Assistant Counsel filed on behalf of Defendant.

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**March 22, 2001**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting status. Response due from parties April 23, 2001.

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**April 4, 2001**

Status letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are negotiating settlement.

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**October 22, 2001**

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

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**November 21, 2001**

Status letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are conducting settlement negotiations.

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**January 2, 2002**

Stipulation of Settlement filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

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**January 7, 2002**

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: **"AND NOW**, this 7th day of January, 2002, upon receipt of a letter-type Praeipie to Discontinue advising "Pursuant to a settlement reached between Catholic Health Care Services and the Department of Public Welfare, the appeals identified in Exhibit 2 to the attached Stipulations of Settlement filed with the Bureau of Hearings and Appeals have been settled. Insofar as your records may reflect that the listed appeals before the Board of Claims are open, please enter an Order of Dismissal consistent with the Order entered by the Bureau of Hearings and Appeals." filed by Nicholas Deenis, Esquire, attorney for Plaintiff, docketed with this Board under date of January 2, 2002, it is **ORDERED** and **DIRECTED** that said case be marked "closed, discontinued and ended without prejudice." Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

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**January 11, 2002**

Acceptance of Service of Order dated January 7, 2002 received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant January 8, 2002.

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Acceptance of Service of Order dated January 7, 2002 received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant January 8, 2002.

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**January 14, 2002**

Acceptance of Service of Order dated January 7, 2002 received from attorney for Plaintiff. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff January 10, 2002.

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