Docket Number: 2532

EXTENDICARE HEALTH SERVICES, INC., AND BROAD ACRES NURSING HOME

John N. Kennedy, Esquire Kimber L. Latsha, Esquire

VS.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Barry N. Kramer, Esquire

November 26, 1997

Claim and filing fee filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Amount of Claim: \$44,780.00.

December 8, 1997

Copy of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General. ANSWER DUE FROM DEFENDANT 1/9/98.

December 15, 1997

Acceptance of Service of Claim dated December 8, 1997 received from Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same accepted by Chief Attorney General December 10, 1997.

January 15, 1998

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

January 23, 1998

Letter forwarded to Plaintiff directing them to file a response to the New Matter. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant.

February 26, 1998

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting a 30-day extension of time to file its responsive pleading to Plaintiffs Claim. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

February 27, 1998

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant, with copy to Plaintiff, granting 30-day request for an extension of time. Defendant=s responsive pleading to Plaintiff=s Complaint now due March 30, 1998.

March 6, 1998

Claimant=s Reply to Respondent=s New Matter filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

March 13, 1998

Letter forwarded to parties directing them to respond to proceed with discovery.

September 16, 1998

Status letter forwarded to parties. RESPONSE DUE 10/16/98.

October 21, 1998

Status letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are currently in settlement negotiations. If unable to resolve the above matter a hearing will be requested.

November 10, 1998

Status letter forwarded to parties. Response due 12/10/98.

August 16, 1999

Status letter forwarded to parties. Response due 9/16/99.

August 26, 1999

Letter/Status/Report received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are involved in extensive settlement negotiations relative to other claims for Extendicare for FYEs 6/30/92-6/30/94. Once the parties resolve those claims they will explore settlement options for the above-captioned matter.

January 21, 2000

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status report. Now Due 2/21/00.

February 15, 2000

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are in settlement negotiations with Defendant involving claims filed by Extendicare owned facilities FYEs 6/30/92 through 6/30/94. Upon completion of resolving these claims they will explore settlement options for facilities that include the above-referenced claim. If the parties are unable to resolve the matter a hearing will be requested.

March 30, 2001

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status report. Due 4/30/01.

April 13, 2001

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties have deferred settlement negotiations involving the above Claim pending settlement negotiations regarding Extend.,

April 24, 2002

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a Status Report. Status Report due on or before 5/24/02.

May 9, 2002

Status letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties have deferred settlement negotiations involving the above claim pending settlement negotiations regarding Extendicare=s owned facilities FYE 6/30/92 through 6/30/94.

November 13, 2002

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a Status Report. Status Report due on or before 12/13/02.

November 20, 2002

Status letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties have deferred settlement negotiations involving the above claim pending settlement negotiations regarding Extendicares owned facilities FYE 6/30/92 through 6/30/94.

August 8, 2005

Board rendered an Opinion and Order. Order as follows: "AND NOW, this 8th day of August, 2005, it is ORDERED and DECREED that pursuant to 42 Pa. C.S.A. §5103(a) and Pa. R.C.P. 213(f), this matter and the record thereof is TRANSFERRED to the Department of Public Welfare, Bureau of Hearings and Appeals." Copy forwarded to Plaintiff and Defendant.

August 15, 2005

Plaintiff filed Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated August 8, 2005. Receipt of same acknowledged August 11, 2005.

August 16, 2005

Board transferred filed to Department of Public Welfare, Bureau of Hearing and Appeals.