

Docket Number: 2547

**INTEGRATED HEALTH SERVICES, INC.,  
INDIAN CREEK NURSING CENTER**

~~Randy J. Riley, Esquire~~  
Louis J. Capozzi, Jr., Esquire  
Michael Hynum, Esquire

VS.

**COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE**

~~John A. Kane, Chief Counsel~~  
Jeffrey P. Schmoyer, Assistant Counsel

**December 23, 1997**

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

---

**January 8, 1998**

Copies of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General. **ANSWER DUE FROM DEFENDANT: February 9, 1998.**

---

**January 14, 1998**

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Chief Deputy Attorney General January 9, 1998.

---

**January 14, 1998**

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant January 9, 1998.

---

**February 13, 1998**

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

---

**March 20, 1998**

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

---

**September 21, 1998**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status report. Status Report due on or before October 21, 1998.

---

**September 29, 1998**

Letter/Status Report received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are still engaged in discovery and at the conclusion of same, Plaintiff will request a hearing date before the Board. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

---

**June 9, 1999**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status report. Status Report due July 9, 1999.

---

**July 9, 1999**

Letter/Status Report received from Plaintiff advising that Plaintiff is engaged in the discovery process and will also attempt to settle this matter with the Department. At the conclusion of discovery, if no settlement is reached, they will request a hearing date.

---

**January 18, 2000**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a Status Report. Status Report due on or before **February 17, 2000**.

---

**January 26, 2000**

Letter received from Plaintiff advising that they are still engaged in discovery and that also they will seek ongoing settlement negotiations with Defendant.

---

**November 22, 2000**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a Status Report. Status Report due on or before **December 22, 2000**.

---

**December 14, 2000**

Entry of Appearance of Michael A. Hynum, NHA, Esquire, and Withdrawal of Randy J. Riley, Esquire, on behalf of Plaintiff, filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

---

**December 14, 2000**

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that they are in the discovery process and will attempt to negotiate a fair and equitable settlement of the issues in this matter with Defendant.

---

**June 20, 2001**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a Status Report. Status Report due on or before **July 20, 2001**.

---

**July 23, 2001**

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are engaged in discovery and at the end of same, and in the event the parties cannot achieve settlement, they will request a hearing date before the Board.

---

**January 31, 2002**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a Status Report. Status Report due on or before March 1, 2002.

---

**March 4, 2002**

Letter received from Plaintiff advising that the parties are engaged in the discovery process and that Plaintiff will attempt to negotiate a fair and equitable settlement of the issues in this matter with Defendant.

---

**March 14, 2002**

Notice of Service of Claimant's First Request for Production of Documents filed by attorney for Plaintiff.

---

**September 11, 2002**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a Status Report. Status Report due on or before **October 11, 2002**.

---

**October 11, 2002**

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties continue to be engaged in discovery and Plaintiff will attempt to negotiate a fair and equitable settlement of the issues in this matter with Defendant.

---

**September 15, 2005**

Board rendered an Opinion and Order. Order as follows: "**AND NOW**, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of September, 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.

---

**September 27, 2005**

Plaintiff filed Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated September 15, 2005. Receipt of same acknowledged September 26, 2005.

---

**October 3, 2005**

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

