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# \*Consolidated with Docket No. 2850\*

Docket Number: 2554

# BALFOUR BEATTY CONSTRUCTION, INC.

Charles W. Rubendall, II, Esquire
Donald M. Lewis, III, Esquire
\*Sean M. Dillon, Esquire (Co-Counsel)
\*Gregory S. Martin, Esquire (Co-Counsel)
\*\*James E. Moye, Esquire (Co-Counsel)

\*\*\*John C. O=Rourke, Jr., Esquire (Co-Counsel)

and

#### NO. 1 CONTRACTING CORPORATION

(INTERVENOR)

Donna M.J. Clark, Esquire Kenneth L. Joel, Esquire

VS.

# COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

John J. Robinson, Jr., Chief Claims Attorney
Jeffrey W. Davis, Assistant Counsel
Gerald R. Schultz, Assistant Counsel (Co-Counsel)

#### January 12, 1998

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

# January 15, 1998

Copy of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General. ANSWER DUE FROM DEFENDANT FEBRUARY 16, 1998.

# January 26, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Chief Deputy Attorney General January 22, 1998.

# January 27, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant January 21, 1998.

# January 28, 1998

Notice of Service of Plaintiff=s Request for Production of Documents filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### February 13, 1998

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting until March 2, 1998, in which to file its responsive pleading to Plaintiff=s Complaint. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

# February 18, 1998

Petitions for Admission, Pro Hac Vice, of Sean M. Dillon, Esquire and Gregory S. Martin, Esquire, and Proposed Orders filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### February 19, 1998

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant, with copy to attorney for Plaintiff, granting request for an extension of time until March 2, 1998, for Defendant to file its responsive pleading to Plaintiff=s Complaint.

#### February 24, 1998

Proposed Order filed by Plaintiff February 18, 1998 rendered by Judge Clipper. Order as follows: AAND NOW, this 24th day of February, 1998, upon consideration of Balfour Beatty Construction, Inc. petition to admit Sean M. Dillon, Esquire, pro hac vice, it is hereby ORDERED that said petition is GRANTED and that said attorney is specially admitted to practice before the Board of Claims for all purposes in the above-captioned claim. Copies forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

# February 24, 1998

Proposed Order filed by Plaintiff February 18, 1998 rendered by Judge Clipper. Order as follows: AAND NOW, this 24th day of February, 1998, upon consideration of Balfour Construction, Inc.⇒s petition to admit Gregory S. Martin, Esquire, pro hac vice, it is hereby ORDERED that said petition is GRANTED and that said attorney is specially admitted to practice before the Board of Claims for all purposes in the above-captioned claim.@ Copies forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

#### February 20, 1998

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff (Charles Rubendall, II, Esquire) requesting the Board set a discovery cut-off date of July 1, 1998 and requests a status conference pursuant to Rule 899.501 to facilitate the scheduling and progression of the litigation. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### February 25, 1998

Letter forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff, with copy to attorney for Defendant, denying Plaintiff=s request for a discovery cut-off date of July 1, 1998 as well as his request for a status conference.

# March 2, 1998

Answer with New Matter filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorneys for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant. Plaintiff=s Reply due on or before April 2, 1998.

# February 27, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Orders (2) dated February 24, 1998 received from attorney for Plaintiff. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff February 25, 1998.

#### March 3, 1998

Entry of Appearance of Gerald R. Schultz, Assistant Counsel, on behalf of Defendant, filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

#### April 1, 1998

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

# April 14, 1998

Motion to Compel filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

# April 21, 1998

Notice of Service Re: Notices of Intent to Serve Subpoenas <u>Duces</u> Tecum, filed by attorney for Plaintiff (Rubendall and Lewis).

#### May 8, 1998

Objections to Subpoena Pursuant to R.C. P. 4009.21 filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

#### May 12, 1998

The Board rendered an Opinion and AAND NOW, this 12th day of May, 1998, it is ORDERED and DECREED that the Defendant=s Objections to Subpoena are hereby DISMISSED.@ Copies forwarded to attorneys for Plaintiff and attorneys for Defendant.

#### May 12, 1998

Certificate Prerequisite to Service of Subpoenas Pursuant to Rule 4009.22 filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

# May 14, 1998

Defendant=s Response to Motion to Compel Production of Documents filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record by attorney for Defendant.

#### May 15, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated May 12, 1998 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall and Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff May 14,

#### May 29, 1998

Notice of Service Re: Answer to Request for Production of Documents filed by attorney for Plaintiff (Rubendall, II).

#### June 18, 1998

Motion for Stay of Deposition and Memorandum in Support of Motion filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

# June 18, 1998

Motion for a Protective Order and Memorandum in Support of Motion filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

#### June 19, 1998

Memorandum in Opposition to Defendant=s Motion for Stay of Deposition and Motion for Protective Order filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

# June 22, 1998

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 22nd day of June, 1998, it is ORDERED and DECREED that the Defendants Motion for a Stay of Deposition of the Secretary of Transportation, Bradley L. Mallory, is hereby GRANTED. Said Motion for a Stay of Deposition shall remain in effect until such time after the Board rules on the merits of the Motion for a Protective Order.@ Copies forwarded to attorneys for Plaintiff and attorneys for Defendant.

#### June 24, 1998

Two (2) Amended Notices of Taking Deposition (Duces Tecum) of Bradley L. Mallory and Barry G. Hoffman, filed by attorney for Plaintiff (Rubendall, II). Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### June 25, 1998

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 25th day of June, 1998, upon consideration of the Motion for Protective Order filed by Defendant Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Transportation, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Motion is DENIED.@ Copies forwarded to attorneys for

#### June 25, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated June 22, 1998 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall and Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff June 24, 1998.

#### June 26, 1998

Plaintiff=s Motion for Extension of Time for Responding to Defendant=s First Set of Interrogatories filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### June 26, 1998

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff, via facsimile, advising that the parties have come to an agreement relative to the extension of time of filing Answers to Interrogatories and requests that the Plaintiff=s Motion for Extension of Time filed on this same date be withdrawn. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### June 29, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated June 25, 1998 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall and Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff June 26, 1998.

#### July 2, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated June 22, 1998 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Dillon and Martin). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff June 26, 1998.

# July 7, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated June 25, 1998 received rom attorneys for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Defendant June 29, 1998.

#### July 7, 1998

Petition to Admit James E. Moye, Esquire, <u>pro hac vice</u> and Proposed Order, filed by attorneys for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorneys for Defendant by attorneys for Plaintiff.

#### July 9, 1998

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 9th day of July, 1998, it is ORDERED and DECREED that the Plaintiff=s Motion for an Extension of Time in which to respond to the Defendant=s First Set of Interrogatories is hereby DISMISSED as being MOOT.@ Copies forwarded to attorneys for Plaintiff and attorneys for Defendant.

# \*\*July 9, 1998

The Board rendered the following Order: AAND NOW, this 9th day of July, 1998, upon consideration of Balfour Beatty Construction, Inc.=s Petition to admit James E. Moye, Esquire, pro hac vice, it is hereby ORDERED that said Petition is GRANTED and that said attorney is specially admitted to practice before the Board of Claims for all purposes in the above-captioned claim.@ Copies forwarded to all attorneys of record.

#### July 10, 1998

Plaintiff=s Motion for Leave to Amend its Statement of Claim, with Amended Verified Statement of Claim attached, filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorneys for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

# July 13, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated July 9, 1998 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall & Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff July 10, 1998.

# July 13, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated July 9, 1998 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Dillon & Martin). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff July 10, 1998.

#### July 15, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Order dated July 9, 1998 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall & Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff {undated}.

#### July 17, 1998

Notice of Service Re: Response to Defendant=s First

Interrogatories filed by attorney for Plaintiff (Rubendall & Lewis).

#### July 23, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Order dated July 9, 1998 received from attorneys for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Defendant July 13, 1998.

#### July 23, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Order dated July 9, 1998 received from attorneys for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Defendant July 13, 1998.

#### July 24, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Order dated July 9, 1998 received from attorneys for Plaintiff(Martin & Dillon). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff July 21, 1998.

# July 24, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Order dated July 9, 1998 received from attorneys for Plaintiff(Martin & Dillon). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff July 21, 1998.

#### August 19, 1998

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 19th day of August, 1998, it is hereby ORDERED and DECREED that the Plaintiff=s Motion for Leave to Amend its Statement of Claim is hereby GRANTED. It is further ORDERED and DECREED that the Defendant herein shall have thirty (30) days from the exit date of this Order to file its response to the Plaintiff=s Amended Verified Statement of Claim, same of which was attached as Exhibit A to Plaintiff=s Motion and is now made part of the record.@ Copies forwarded to attorneys for Plaintiff and attorneys for Defendant.

#### August 19, 1998

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 19th day of August, 1998, after due consideration of Plaintiff=s Motion to Compel and submissions relative thereto, it is ORDERED that said Motion is hereby DISMISSED as being MOOT.@ Copies forwarded to attorneys for Plaintiff and attorneys for Defendant.

#### August 19, 1998

Copy of Amended Verified Statement of Claim forwarded to Chief

#### Deputy Attorney General.

#### August 25, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Opinions and Orders (2) dated August 19, 1998 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall & Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff August 24, 1998.

#### August 25, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Opinions and Orders (2) dated August 19, 1998 received from attorneys for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Defendant August 20, 1998.

#### August 28, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Opinions and Orders (2) dated August 19, 1998 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Martin, Dillon & Moye). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff August 24, 1998.

#### September 25, 1998

Answer to Amended Verified Statement of Claim with New Matter filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

# October 22, 1998

Notice of Service Re: Deposition Notices filed by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### October 26, 1998

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

# October 29, 1998

Praecipe, to substitute original Verification for the facsimile verification, attached to Plaintiff's Reply to Amended New Matter filed by Plaintiff.

# November 2, 1998

Notice of Intent to Serve Subpoena Duces Tecum to Produce Documents and Things for Discovery Pursuant to Rule 4009.21 to be served upon No. 1 Contracting Corporation; High Steel Structures, Inc., Marikina Engineers and Construction

Corporation; and Linde Enterprises, Inc., filed by attorney for Defendant.

#### November 30, 1998

Notice of Service of Subpoenas on: 1) Marikina Engineers; 2) Linde Enterprises, Inc.; 3) High Steel Structures, Inc.; and 4) No. 1 Contracting, Inc., filed by attorney for Defendant.

# January 7, 1999

Defendant=s Motion to Compel Answers to Interrogatories Pursuant to Pa. R.C.P. 4019 and Brief in Support thereof filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorneys for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

# January 22, 1999

Plaintiff=s Motion for Leave to Amend its Amended Statement of Claim, with the Second Amended Verified Statement of Claim attached, filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### January 25, 1999

Praecipe, to substitute Verification of the Second Amended Verified Statement of Claim, filed by attorney for Plaintiff.

## February 3, 1999

Defendant=s Motion to Compel Production of Documents Pursuant to PA. R.C.P. 4019 as well as Brief in Support of Defendant=s Motion to Compel Production of Documents Pursuant to PA. R.C.P. 4019 filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

# February 10, 1999

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff requesting until February 16, 1999, in which to respond to Defendant=s Motion to Compel Answers to Interrogatories.

#### February 12, 1999

Letter forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff, with copy to attorney for Defendant, granting Plaintiff=s Request for an extension of time until February 16, 1999 in which to respond to Defendant=s Motion to Compel Answers to Interrogatories.

#### February 16, 1999

Plaintiff=s Memorandum in Opposition to Defendant=s Motion to Compel Answers to Interrogatories filed by attorney for

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

#### February 26, 1999

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 26th day of February, 1999, it is hereby ORDERED and DIRECTED that Plaintiff=s Motion for Leave to Amend its Amended Statement of Claim is hereby GRANTED and the Second Amended Verified Statement of Claim is hereby made part of the record. The Defendant herein, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Transportation, is directed to file its responsive pleading to Plaintiff=s Second Amended Verified Statement of Claim within thirty (30) days from the exit date of this Order.@ Copy forwarded to attorneys for Plaintiff and attorneys for Defendant.

#### March 1, 1999

Copy of Second Amended Verified Statement of Claim forwarded to Chief Deputy Attorney General.

# March 3, 1999

Plaintiff=s Memorandum in Opposition to Defendant=s Motion to Compel Production of Documents filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### March 3, 1999

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated February 26, 1999 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall & Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff March 2, 1999.

# March 4, 1999

Acceptance of Service of Second Amended Verified Statement of Claim received from Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Chief Deputy Attorney General March 2, 1999.

#### March 8, 1999

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated February 26, 1999 received from attorneys for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Defendant March 4, 1999.

#### March 11, 1999

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated February 26,

1999 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Martin, Dillon & Moye). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff March 8, 1999.

#### April 1, 1999

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting an extension of time until April 7, 1999 to file a response to Plaintiffs Second Amended Verified Statement of Claim. Letter forwarded to attorneys for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

#### April 5, 1999

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant, with copy to attorney for Plaintiffs, granting request for an extension of time, until April 7, 1999, in which to respond to Plaintiffs Second Amended Verified Statement of Claim.

#### April 6, 1999

Petition to Intervene filed by attorney for No. 1 Contracting Corporation. Copy forwarded to attorneys for Plaintiff and attorneys for Defendant by attorney for No. 1 Contracting Corporation.

# April 7, 1999

Answer to Second Amended Verified Statement of Claim with New Matter filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

# May 7, 1999

Balfour Beatty=s Reply to Second Amended New Matter filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### May 24, 1999

Brief in Support of Petition to Intervene filed by attorney for No. 1 Contracting, Inc. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant, by attorney for No. 1 Contracting, Inc.

# August 18, 1999

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 18th day of August , 1999, upon Defendant-s Motion to Compel Answers to Interrogatories, pursuant to Pennsylvania Rule of Civil Procedure No. 4019, it is hereby ORDERED and DECREED that the Plaintiff be compelled to file further answers to Interrogatory Nos. 6, and 8 through 12, within thirty (30) days from the exit date of this Order.@ Copy forwarded to attorneys

for Plaintiff and attorneys for Defendant.

#### August 20, 1999

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated August 18, 1999 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall & Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff August 19, 1999.

# August 26, 1999

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated August 18, 1999 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Martin, Dillon & Moye). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff August 23, 1999.

# September 21, 1999

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 21st day of September, 1999, upon consideration of Defendants, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Transportation, Motion for the Production of Documents, it is hereby ORDERED that: 1. Plaintiff produce all index folders requested; 2. Plaintiff produce its monthly cost reports; and 3. Plaintiff need not produce videotapes.@ Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

# September 23, 1999

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated September 21, 1999 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall & Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff September 22, 1999.

#### September 27, 1999

Notice of Service Re: Supplemental Response to Defendants First Interrogatories filed by attorneys for Plaintiff.

#### October 4, 1999

Plaintiff=s Motion for Clarification and/or Reconsideration filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### October 13, 1999

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 13th day of October, 1999, it is ORDERED and DECREED that the Plaintiff=s, Balfour Beatty Construction, Inc., Motion for Clarification and/or Reconsideration, is hereby GRANTED. If is further ORDERED and DECREED that the Plaintiff shall produce monthly cost reports as requested by the Defendant, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Transportation. These items shall be presented to the Defendant within thirty (30) days from the exit date of this Order and shall be the object of a mutually agreed upon confidentiality agreement. © Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

#### October 18, 1999

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated October 13, 1999 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall and Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff October 15, 1999.

#### November 8, 1999

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated September 21, 1999 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Martin, Dillon & Moye). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff November 3, 1999.

#### November 8, 1999

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated October 13, 1999 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Martin, Dillon & Moye). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff October 28, 1999.

# November 23, 1999

Plaintiff=s Motion for Leave to File its Third Amended Statement of Claim, with copy of Third Amended Verified Statement of Claim attached thereto as Exhibit AA@, filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### January 11, 2000

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 11th day of January, 2000, for good cause and reasons set forth in No. 1 Contracting Corporation=s Petition to Intervene, it is hereby ORDERED that No. 1 Contracting Corporation=s Petition to Intervene in this litigation is GRANTED.@ Copy forwarded to attorneys for Plaintiff, attorneys for Defendant and attorney for Intervenor.

## January 13, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated January 11, 2000 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall and Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff January 12, 2000.

#### January 14, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated January 11, 2000 received from attorney for Intervenor. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Intervenor January 13, 2000.

#### January 18, 2000

No. 1 Contracting Corporation=s Verified Statement of Claim filed by attorney for Intervenor. Amount of Claim: in excess of \$750,000

#### January 24, 2000

Copy of No. 1 Contracting Corporation=s Verified Statement of Claim forwarded to attorneys for Defendant, attorneys for Plaintiff and Chief Deputy Attorney General. Response due from Defendant February 23, 2000.

#### January 25, 2000

Acceptance of Service of No. 1 Contracting Corporation=s Claim received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall and Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff January 25, 2000.

# January 28, 2000

Acceptance of Service of No. 1 Contracting Corporation=s Claim received from Office of Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Office of Attorney General January 26, 2000.

#### February 10, 2000

Acceptance of Service of No. 1 Contracting Corporation=s Claim received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Dillon & Martin). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff February 7, 2000.

#### February 10, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated January 11, 2000 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Dillon & Martin). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff February 7, 2000.

#### February 23, 2000

Defendants Preliminary Objection to Intervenors Verified Statement of Claim and Brief for Defendant in Support of its Preliminary Objection to Intervenors Verified Statement of Claim filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record by attorney for Defendant.

#### March 6, 2000

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 6th day of March, 2000, upon consideration of the various pleadings before the Board, for good cause and the reasons set forth in the above Opinion, it is ORDERED that the claim of No. 1 Contracting Corporation, formally listed at Docket No. 2850, is hereby consolidated for trial with the claim of Balfour Beatty Construction, Inc. and No. 1 Contracting Corporation as Intervenor, at Docket No. 2554.@ Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record.

#### March 8, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated March 6, 2000 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall & Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff March 7, 2000.

#### March 8, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated March 6, 2000 received from attorney for Intervenor. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Intervenor March 7, 2000.

#### March 22, 2000

No. 1's Response to PennDOT=s Preliminary Objections and No. 1's Brief Opposing PennDOT=s Preliminary Objections as well as Proposed Order filed by attorney for Intervenor. Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record by attorney for Intervenor.

#### March 31, 2000

Reply Brief Submitted on Behalf of Defendant in Support of its Preliminary Objections filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record by attorney for Defendant.

#### March 31, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated March 6, 2000 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Martin & Dillon). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff March 28, 2000.

# April 13, 2000

SurReply Brief filed by attorney for Intervenor. Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record by attorney for Intervenor.

# May 2, 2000

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 2nd day of May, 2000, it is hereby ORDERED and DECREED that Plaintiff=s Motion for Leave to File its Third Amended Statement of Claim is hereby GRANTED and the Third Amended Statement of Claim is made part of the record. The Defendant herein, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Transportation, is directed to file its responsive pleading to Plaintiff=s Third Amended Statement of Claim within thirty (30) days from the exit date of this Order.@ Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record.

# May 3, 2000

Plaintiff=s Motion for Leave to File its Fourth Amended Statement of Claim (Fourth Amended Statement of Claim attached as Exhibit AA@) filed by attorneys for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record by attorneys for Plaintiff.

#### May 4, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated May 2, 2000 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall & Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff May 3, 2000.

#### May 4, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated May 2, 2000 received from attorney for Intervenor. Receipt of same

acknowledged by attorney for Intervenor May 3, 2000.

#### May 9, 2000

Praecipe to substitute an original verification of Wolfgang F. Langheinrich for the facsimile version that was attached to Plaintiff=s Fourth Amended Statement of Claim, filed by attorneys for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record by attorneys for Plaintiff.

# May 10, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated May 2, 2000 received from attorneys for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Defendant May 4, 2000.

#### May 15, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated May 2, 2000 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Martin & Dillon). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff May 8, 2000.

# June 6, 2000

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 6th day of June, 2000, it is hereby ORDERED and DECREED that Plaintiff=s Motion for Leave to File its Fourth Amended Statement of Claim is hereby GRANTED and the Fourth Amended Statement of Claim is made part of the record. The Defendant herein, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Transportation, is directed to file its responsive pleading to Plaintiff=s Fourth Amended Statement of Claim within thirty (30) days from the exit date of this Order.@ Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record.

#### June 8, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated June 6, 2000 received from Kenneth L. Joel, Esquire. Receipt of same acknowledged by Kenneth L. Joel, Esquire June 7, 2000.

#### June 8, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated June 8, 2000 received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant June 7, 2000.

#### June 12, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated June 6, 2000

received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant June 8, 2000.

#### June 16, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated June 6, 2000 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Martin & Dillon). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff June 12, 2000.

#### June 22, 2000

Answer to Fourth Amended Verified Statement of Claim with New Matter and Counterclaim filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record by attorney for Defendant. Pltf=s Reply due July 27,2000.

#### July 24, 2000

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 24th day of July, 2000, it is hereby ORDERED and DECREED that Defendants Preliminary Objections to the Claim of Intervenor, No. 1 Contracting Corporation, is hereby DENIED. Defendant shall hereby file a response to Intervenors Claim no later than thirty (30) days from the exit date of this Order.@ Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record.

#### July 31, 2000

Copy of letter directed to Defendant, received from Plaintiff (Balfour) confirming the parties= agreement for Balfour to have a two week extension (until Thursday, Aug. 10, 2000) in which to file its Reply to Defendant=s New Matter.

#### July 26, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated July 24, 2000 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall & Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff July 25, 2000.

# July 26, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated July 24, 2000 received from attorney for Intervenor. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Intervenor July 25, 2000.

#### August 1, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated July 24, 2000 received from attorney for Defendant (Schultz). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant July 28, 2000.

#### August 7, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated July 31, 2000 received from attorney for Plaintiff. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff July 31, 2000.

# August 10, 2000

Balfour Beatty Construction, Inc.=s Reply to Defendant=s Fourth Amended New Matter and Counterclaim filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record by attorney for Plaintiff.

# August 22, 2000

Notice of Change of Address of co-counsel for Plaintiff (Sean Dillon, Gregory Martin and James Moye), filed by attorneys for co-counsel for Plaintiff, Balfour Beatty. Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record by co-counsel for Plaintiff.

# August 23, 2000

Answer to (Intervenor=s) Verified Statement of Claim with New Matter filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record by attorney for Defendant.

#### September 5, 2000

Praecipe for Substitution of Verification of Wolfgang F. Langheinrich for the facsimile version that was attached to Plaintiff=s Reply to Defendant=s Fourth Amended New Matter and Counterclaim, filed by attorneys for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### October 18, 2000

Reply to New Matter filed by attorneys for Intervenor (No. 1 Contracting). Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant and attorneys for Plaintiff by attorneys for Intervenor.

# November 1, 2000

AStipulation@ executed by parties, relative to Defendant filing an Amended Answer to Fourth Amended Verified Statement of Claim with New Matter and Counterclaim, as well as the Amended Answer to Fourth Amended Verified Statement of Claim with New Matter and Counterclaim, filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record by attorney for Defendant.

#### February 2, 2001

Notice of Service Re: Balfour Beatty Construction, Inc.⇒ Second Request for Production of Documents Directed to Defendant filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### March 5, 2001

Notice of Service Re: Response of Defendant Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Transportation to Balfour Beatty Construction, Inc.⇒ Second Request for Production of Documents Directed to Defendant, filed by attorney for Defendant.

#### March 30, 2001

Notice of Service Re: Plaintiff=s Subpoena to Corporate Representative(s) or Designee(s) of Joyce Gibbel Gifts, Inc. filed by Plaintiff.

#### August 2, 2001

Notice of Service Re: Plaintiff=s Response to Defendant=s Second Request for Production of Documents filed by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### November 16, 2001

Motion to Sever S-21775 Tie Back Anchors Claim as well as Brief in Support of Balfour Beatty=s Motion to Sever S-21775 Tie-Back Anchors Claim filed by attorneys for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to all attorney of record by attorney for Plaintiff.

# December 17, 2001

Brief in Opposition to Plaintiff=s Motion to Sever filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to all attorney of record by attorney for Defendant.

# December 31, 2001

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that they did not receive the Department=s Opposition to Plaintiff=s Motion to Sever until after the Christmas holiday and that if a reply is filed, it will be filed no later than January 11, 2002.

#### January 11, 2002

Plaintiff=s Reply Brief in Support of its Motion to Sever filed by attorneys for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to all counsel of

#### January 31, 2002

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 31st day of January, 2002, upon consideration of the motion to sever the S-21775 tie-back anchors claim filed by the plaintiff and the briefs filed by plaintiff in support of the motion and the brief filed by the defendant in opposition thereto, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the motion to sever is DENIED.@ Copy forwarded to all parties of record.

# February 4, 2002

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated January 31, 2002 received from attorney for Plaintiff (Rubendall & Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff February 1, 2002.

#### February 4, 2002

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated January 31, 2002 received from attorney for Intervenor (Clark & Joel). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Intervenor February 1, 2002.

#### February 7, 2002

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated January 31, 2002 received from attorneys for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Defendant February 4, 2002.

# March 7, 2002

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated January 31, 2002 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Martin, Dillon & Moye). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff March 4, 2002.

#### June 6, 2002

Plaintiff=s Motion for Leave to File its Fifth Amended Statement of Claim, as well Balfour Beatty Construction, Inc.=s Fifth Amended Verified Statement of Claim attached as Exhibit 1, filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to all parties of record by attorney for Plaintiff. Response due from Defendant and Intervenor on or before June 27, 2002.

#### July 22, 2002

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: AAND NOW, this 22nd day of July, 2002, upon review of Plaintiffs Motion for Leave to File its Fifth Amended Statement of Claim and in light of Defendants lack of response, it is hereby ORDERED and DECREED that Plaintiffs Motion for Leave to File its Fifth Amended Statement of Claim is GRANTED and Plaintiffs Fifth Amended Statement of Claim, as attached as Exhibit A1" to its Motion for Leave to File its Fifth Amended Statement of Claim is hereby made part of the record. Defendant, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Transportation, shall file its responsive pleading to Plaintiffs Fifth Amended Statement of Claim within thirty (30) days from the exit date of this Order.@ Copy forwarded to all attorneys of record.

#### July 23, 2002

Copy of Plaintiff=s Fifth Amended Statement of Claim forwarded to Chief Deputy Attorney General.

#### July 25, 2002

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated July 22, 2002 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Rubendall & Lewis). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff July 24, 2002.

# July 29, 2002

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated July 22, 2002 received from attorneys for Plaintiff (Martin, Dillon & Moye). Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Plaintiff July 25, 2002.

# July 29, 2002

Acceptance of Service of Plaintiff=s Fifth Amended Statement of Claim received from Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Chief Deputy Attorney General July 25, 2002.

#### July 31, 2002

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated July 22, 2002 received from attorneys for Intervenor. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorneys for Intervenor July 29, 2002.

#### August 29, 2002

Answer to Balfour Beatty Construction Inc.⇒s Fifth Amended Verified Statement of Claim With New Matter and Counterclaim filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to all parties of record by attorney for Defendant. Reply to New Matter and Counterclaim due from Plaintiff on or before September 30, 2002.

# September 30, 2002

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff (Donald Lewis, III, Esquire) confirming that Defendant agreed to an extension of time for Plaintiff to file its reply to new matter and counterclaim, until Monday, October 14, 2002.

# October 10, 2002

Balfour Beatty Construction, Inc.=s Reply to New Matter and Counterclaim in Defendant=s Answer to Fifth Amended Statement of Claim filed by attorney for Plaintiff (Balfour). Copy forwarded to all parties of record by attorney for Plaintiff.

#### April 15, 2003

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a Status Report. Status Report due on or before May 15, 2003.

#### April 22, 2003

Letter received from attorney for Defendant advising that the parties are proceeding with conducting depositions and currently have depositions scheduled for May 6, 7, 8, 20, 21 and 22, 2003.

#### May 6, 2003

Plaintiff (Balfour) filed letter/status report advising that discovery has been on-going, further depositions are scheduled for the month of May, and it is anticipated that all discovery and depositions will be completed by the end of this summer. Copy forwarded to parties.

#### June 27, 2003

Plaintiff filed Notice of Service of Subpoena for Deposition of Rodney Keefer. Copy forwarded to Plaintiff (No. 1 Contracting) and Defendant.

# July 14, 2003

Plaintiff filed Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice of John C.

O=Rourke, Jr., Esquire. Copy forwarded to Plaintiff (No. 1 Contracting) and Defendant.

## Augut 6, 2003

Defendant filed letter advising they do not oppose the Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice of John C. O-Rourke, Esquire. Copy forwarded to Plaintiffs.

#### \*\*\* October 21, 2003

Board issued Opinion and Order. Order as follows: AAND NOW, this 21st day of October, 2003, after review of Plaintiff=s Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice of John C. O=Rourke, Jr., Esquire, and it is hereby ORDERED that: 1) Defendant=s response thereto, Effective upon the date of this Order, John C. O-Rourke, Jr., Esquire shall be ADMITTED pro hac vice to the bar of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania under Pennsylvania Bar Admission Rule 301 for the limited purpose of serving as co-counsel on behalf of Plaintiff in this matter; 2) John C. O-Rourke, Jr., Esquire shall abide by all the rules of, and applicable to, practice before this Board, including all attorney disciplinary rules; and 3) John C. O=Rourke, Jr., Esquire shall immediately notify this Board of any matter affecting his standing at the bar of any other court or jurisdiction where he may be admitted to practice.@ Copy forwarded to all parties.

#### November 3, 2003

Plaintiff (Martin, Dillon & Moye) filed Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated October 21, 2003. Receipt of same acknowledged October 30, 2003.

#### April 22, 2004

Board issued letter to parties requesting Status Report. Status Report due on or before May 24, 2004.

# May 6, 2004

Plaintiff filed Status Report advising that the parties have agreed to a settlement conference on June 24 and 25, 2004 in an attempt to close the gap in the settlement proposals. Copy forwarded to all parties.

#### May 13, 2004

Defendant filed letter/status report advising of the parties=

discovery proceedings and advising of the settlement/mediation conference scheduled for June 24 and 25, 2004.

# May 19, 2004

No. 1 Contracting filed Status Report advising of the partiesdiscovery proceedings and advising of the settlement/mediation conference scheduled for June 24 and 25, 2004.

#### February 7, 2005

Plaintiff and No. 1 Contracting filed Praecipe to Discontinue. Copy forwarded to Defendant.

#### February 9, 2005

Board issued Order. Order as follows: "AND NOW, this 9th day of February, 2005, upon receipt of a Praecipe to Discontinue, executed by Donald M. Lewis, Esquire, on behalf of Balfour Beatty Construction, Inc., and by Kenneth L. Joel, Esquire, on behalf of No. 1 Contracting Corporation, requesting that the Board '... mark the docket to reflect that this matter has been settled and discontinued', docketed with this Board under date of February 7, 2005, it is ORDERED and DIRECTED that the above-captioned matter be marked 'settled, discontinued and ended with prejudice'." Copy forwarded to all parties.

#### February 15, 2005

No. 1 Contracting filed Acceptance of Service of Order dated February 9, 2005. Receipt of same acknowledged February 14, 2005.

# February 25, 2005

Plaintiff filed Acceptance of Service of Order dated February 9, 2005. Receipt of same acknowledged February 22, 2005.