

Docket Number: 2594

PRESBYTERIAN MEDICAL CENTER AT OAKMONT

~~Samuel B. Fineman, Esquire~~  
~~Randy J. Riley, Esquire~~  
Stephen A. Miller, Esquire

VS.

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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

~~John A. Kane, Chief Counsel~~  
Kathleen Grogan, Assistant Counsel

**January 26, 1998**

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

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**January 27, 1998**

Copy of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General. **ANSWER DUE FROM DEFENDANT FEBRUARY 27, 1998.**

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**February 4, 1998**

Acceptance of Service of Claim received Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Chief Deputy Attorney General February 2, 1998.

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Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting a 30-day extension of time until March 30, 1998, in which to file Defendant's Response to Plaintiff's Claim.

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**February 27, 1998**

Letter forwarded to Defendant granting Defendant a 30-day extension of time until March 30, 1998, in which to file Defendant's Response to Plaintiff's Claim. Response due March 30, 1998.

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**March 5, 1998**

Amended Claim filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

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**March 11, 1998**

Letter forwarded to Defendant requesting response to Plaintiff's Amended Claim. Response due April 13, 1998.

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**March 31, 1998**

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting a 30-day extension of time in which to file Defendant's Response to Plaintiff's Claim.

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**April 2, 1998**

Letter forwarded to Defendant granting Defendant's request for a 30-day extension of time in which to file Defendant's Response to Plaintiff's Claim. Response due May 4, 1998.

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**April 30, 1998**

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting a 30-day extension of time in which to file Defendant's Response to Plaintiff's Claim.

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**May 1, 1998**

Letter forwarded to Defendant granting Defendant's request for a 30-day extension of time in which to file Defendant's Response to Plaintiff's Claim. Response due June 4, 1998.

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**May 2, 1998**

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

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**June 1, 1998**

Letter forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff requesting response to Defendant's New Matter. Response due from Plaintiff July 1, 1998.

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**July 1, 1998**

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

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**July 6, 1998**

Letter forwarded to parties directing parties to commence with discovery.

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**July 17, 1998**

Praecipe for Substitution of Verification filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

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**August 20, 1998**

Certificate of Service of Plaintiff's Request for Production of Documents unto Defendant filed by attorney for Plaintiff.

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**August 26, 1999**

Certificate of Service of Plaintiff's Second Request for Production of Documents as well as Claimant's First Set of Continuing Interrogatories filed by attorney for Plaintiff.

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**December 29, 1999**

Entry/Withdrawal of Appearance of Randy J. Riley, Esquire, on behalf of Plaintiff and Withdrawal of Appearance of Samuel B. Fineman on behalf of Plaintiff.

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**April 3, 2000**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting Status Response due from parties May 3, 2000.

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**May 1, 2000**

Status letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the Plaintiff is in the process of preparing a possible plan to negotiate a possible settlement.

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**May 23, 2000**

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff requesting an extension of time until August 31, 2000 in which to respond to Defendant's discovery requests.

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**May 24, 2000**

Letter received from attorney for Defendant advising that although they do not object to Plaintiff's request, they do not agree that an extension is warranted for the reasons cited in Plaintiff's letter.

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**May 31, 2000**

Letter forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff granting extension of time until August 31, 2000 to respond to Defendant's discovery requests.

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**August 24, 2000**

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff requesting an extension of time until October 31, 2000 to respond to discovery.

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**September 1, 2000**

Letter forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff granting Plaintiff's request for an extension of time until October 31, 2000 in which to respond to discovery. Response due 10/31/00.

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**September 5, 2000**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting status. Response due from parties October 5, 2000.

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**September 28, 2000**

Entry of Appearance of Stephen A. Miller, Esquire and Withdrawal of Appearance of Randy J. Riley, Esquire filed on behalf of Plaintiff.

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**September 28, 2000**

Status letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are conducting discovery with the possibility of settlement.

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**October 2, 2000**

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting an extension of time until January 19, 2001, in which to respond to all discovery requests and/or Motions to Compel Discovery.

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**October 3, 2000**

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant granting Defendant's request for an extension of time until January 19, 2001, in which to respond to all discovery requests and/or Motions to Compel Discovery.

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**October 31, 2000**

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

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**February 16, 2001**

Praecipe for Discontinuance filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

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**February 26, 2001**

The Board rendered the following Order: "**AND NOW**, this 26th day of February, 2001, upon receipt of a Praecipe for Discontinuance advising "Pursuant to a separate settlement agreement between the parties, this matter may be closed, ended and discontinued with prejudice.", executed by Michael A. Hynum, Esquire, attorney for Plaintiff and docketed with this Board under date of February 21, 2001, it is **ORDERED** and **DIRECTED** that said case be marked "closed, discontinued and ended with prejudice." Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

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**February 26, 2001**

Acceptance of Service of Order dated February 26, 2001 received from attorney for Plaintiff. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff February 27, 2001.

**CLOSED**