

Docket Number: 2633

ACCORD HEALTH SERVICES, INC., BRIARLEAF NURSING AND CONVALESCENT  
CENTER, GREENLEAF HOME CONVALESCENT CENTER, KUTZTOWN MANOR

~~Louis Capozzi, Esquire~~  
Stephen A. Miller, Esquire

VS.  
**CLOSED**  
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

~~John A. Kane, Chief Counsel~~  
Catherine Stewart, Assistant Counsel

**January 27, 1998**

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

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**January 28, 1998**

Copy of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General. ANSWER DUE FROM DEFENDANT MARCH 2, 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 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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**June 5, 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 9, 1998**

Letter forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff requesting response to Defendant's New Matter. Response due July 9, 1998.

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**July 8, 1998**

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

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**July 9, 1998**

Letter forwarded to parties directing parties to commence with discovery.

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**September 14, 1999**

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff requesting an extension of time until December 31, 1999, in which to file Plaintiff's responses to Defendant's First Request for Production of Documents.

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**September 15, 1999**

Letter forwarded to Plaintiff granting Plaintiff's request for an extension of time until December 31, 1999, in which to file Plaintiff's responses to Defendant's First Request for Production of Documents. Response due December 31, 1999.

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**November 2, 1999**

Certificate of Service of Plaintiff's Response to Defendant's Request for Production of Documents filed.

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**December 6, 1999**

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order received by attorney for Plaintiff dated November 30, 1999. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff December 3, 1999.

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**May 18, 2000**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting status. Response due from parties June 19, 2000.

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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 24, 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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**June 24, 2000**

Status letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that discovery is ongoing.

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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 5, 2000**

Entry/Withdraw of Appearance withdrawing Catherine Stewart, Assistant Counsel and Entering the Appearance of Edward Cherry, Assistant Counsel filed on behalf of Defendant.

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**October 3, 2000**

Status letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that

discovery is ongoing.

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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 3, 2000**

Letter/Status Report filed by attorney for Plaintiff advising that parties are in discovery. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

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**January 29, 2001**

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

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**February 2, 2001**

The Board rendered the following Order: **"AND NOW**, this 2nd day of February, 2001, upon receipt of Praecipes For Discontinuances, advising that "...this matter may be closed, ended and discontinued with prejudice", executed by Daniel K. Natirboff, Esquire, Jonathan C. James, Esquire and Michael A. Hynum, attorneys for Plaintiffs and docketed with this Board under date of January 29, 2001 it is **ORDERED** and **DIRECTED** that said case be marked "closed, discontinued and ended with prejudice." Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiffs and attorney for Defendant.

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