Docket Number: 2665

MARINER HEALTH CARE OF WEST HILLS

Steven M. Montresor, Esquire

VS.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

John A. Kane, Chief Counsel Jason W. Manne, Assistant Counsel

March 27, 1998

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

April 1, $\overline{1998}$

Copy of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General. ANSWER DUE FROM DEFENDANT 5/1/98.

April 6, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Complaint received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant April 2, 1998.

April 8, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Complaint received from Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Chief Deputy Attorney General April 3, 1998.

May 13, 1998

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

June 18, 1998

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

June 24, 1998

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

December 21, 1998

Letter forwarded to the parties requesting a status report. Response due 1/21/99.

April 8, 1999

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that they are assessing whether discovery requests to the Defendant are appropriate.

April 9, 1999

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that they are currently assessing whether discovery requests to the Defendant would be appropriate. If discovery is not necessary a settlement offer will be drafted and forwarded to the Defendant

January 21, 2000

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status report. NOW due 2/21/00.

February 8, 2000

Letter/Status received from Plaintiff advising that they are currently assessing whether discovery requests to the Defendant are appropriate. If discovery is not necessary or the information can be obtained informally, then a settlement offer in the form of a position paper will be drafted and forwarded to the Defendant.

November 29, 2000

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status. Due 12/29/00.

December 5, 2000

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that they are ascertaining whether any additional documentation is necessary.

June 29, 2001

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status report. Due 7/30/01.

July 12, 2001

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that they are in the process of preparing a detailed settlement offer in the form of a position paper which will be forwarded to Defendant for consideration.

January 28, 2002

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status report.

February 7, 2002

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that they are in the process of preparing a detailed settlement offer in the form of a position paper which will be forwarded to Defendant for consideration.

September 19, 2002

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status report. Response due 10/18/02.

October 3, 2002

Letter received from Plaintiff advising that they are in the process of preparing a detailed settlement offer in the form of a position paper which will be forwarded to Defendant for its consideration. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

October 14, 2005

Board rendered an Opinion and Order. Order as follows: "AND NOW, this $14^{\rm th}$ day of October, 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."

October 17, 2005

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

November 22, 2005

Plaintiff filed Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated October 14, 2005. Receipt of same acknowledged November 21, 2005.