

Docket Number: 2730

**MOUNT MACRINA MANOR NURSING HOME**

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VS.

**COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE**

~~John A. Kane, Chief Counsel~~  
Jeffrey W. Bechtel, Assistant Counsel

**August 4, 1998**

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

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**August 7, 1998**

Copy of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General. ANSWER DUE FROM DEFENDANT 9/8/98.

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**August 12, 1998**

Acceptance of Service of Complaint received from Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Chief Deputy Attorney General August 10, 1998.

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**August 17, 1998**

Acceptance of Service of Complaint received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant August 11, 1998.

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**September 10, 1998**

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

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**October 13, 1998**

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

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**October 16, 1998**

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

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**August 27, 1999**

Status letter forwarded to parties. Response due 9/27/99.

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**September 1, 1999**

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that they will seek settlement negotiations with the Defendant and continue discovery efforts. Upon completion of discovery a hearing will be requested.

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**January 7, 2000**

Certificate of Service of Claimant's Request for Documents and First Request for Answers to Interrogatories filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy served upon Defendant by Plaintiff.

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**March 6, 2000**

Letter request for extension of time for Defendant to respond to Plaintiff's discovery request. Response due 4/9/2000.

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**April 14, 2000**

Certificate of Service of Defendant's Response to Claimant's Request for Production of Documents filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

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**September 26, 2000**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status report. Due 10/26/00.

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**October 17, 2000**

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that discovery is ongoing. Upon completion of discovery Defendant has indicated that a settlement offer may be forthcoming for the above-referenced matter. If unable to settle Plaintiff will request a hearing.

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**May 22, 2001**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status. Due 6/22/01.

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**June 27, 2001**

Letter received from Plaintiff advising that they are in the process of preparing a settlement proposal to Defendant in hopes that this matter may be resolved. If settlement negotiations fail Plaintiff will request a hearing before the Board.

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**January 3, 2002**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status. Response due 2/4/02.

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**February 6, 2002**

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that they are in the process of preparing a settlement proposal to Defendant in hopes that this matter may be resolved.

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**August 14, 2002**

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status report.  
**RESPONSE DUE 9/16/02.**

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**September 9, 2002**

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that they are in the process of preparing a settlement proposal to Defendant in the hopes that this matter may be resolved.

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**January 29, 2003**

Certificate of Service of Claimant's Second Request for Documents and Second Request for Answers to Interrogatories filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

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**February 3, 2003**

Certificate of Service of Claimant's Second Request for Documents and Second Request for Answers to Interrogatories filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy served upon Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

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**October 14, 2005**

Board rendered an Opinion and Order. Order as follows: "**AND NOW**, this 14<sup>th</sup> 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."

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**October 17, 2005**

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

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**October 21, 2005**

Plaintiff filed Acceptance of Service of Scheduling Order dated October 14, 2005. Receipt of same acknowledged October 18, 2005.

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