Docket Number: 2735

EXTENDICARE HEALTH SERVICES, INC, d/b/a STONEBRIDGE HEALTH & REHABILITATION CENTER

John N. Kennedy, Esquire Kimber L. Latsha, Esquire

VS.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

John A. Kane, Chief Counsel Barry N. Kramer, Senior Assistant Counsel

August 5, 1998

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

August 13, 1998

Copy of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General. ANSWER DUE FROM DEFENDANT September 14, 1998.

October 7, 1998

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

October 22, 1998

Letter forwarded to Plaintiff directing a response to New Matter. RESPONSE DUE 11/23/98.

November 20, 1998

Claimant=s Reply to Respondent=s New Matter filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

November 30, 1998

Letter forwarded to parties directing them to proceed with discovery.

September 1, 1999

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status report. Now due 10/1/99.

September 17, 1999

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties have been involved in extensive settlement negotiations regarding other Extendicare facilities for FYEs 6/30/92-6/30/94. Once these claims are settled they will explore options to settle the above-captioned matter.

May 22,2000

Status letter forwarded to parties. Due 6/22/00.

April 30, 2001

May 11, 2001

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are involved in extensive settlement negotiations regarding Extendicares owned facilities FYEs 6/30/92 through 6/30/94. Once the parties resolve the claims being negotiated they will explore settlement options for the above matter.

January 3, 2002

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

January 11, 2002

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties recently resumed settlement negotiations regarding Extendicares owned facilities FYEs 6/30/92 through 6/30/94. Once the parties resolve these claims being negotiated they will explore settlement options for the above claim.

July 16, 2002

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a Status Report. Status Report due on or before August 15, 2002.

July 25, 2002

Letter/status report filed by attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are not involved in settlement negotiations involving this matter, that once the parties resolve other claims they will then explore settlement options in this case.

October 12, 2005

Board rendered an Opinion and Order. Order as follows: "AND NOW, this 12th 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 Hearings and Appeals.

November 3, 2005

Plaintiff filed Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated October 12, 2005. Receipt of same acknowledged November 2, 2005.