Docket Number: 2927

BIRCHWOOD NURSING CENTER LTD., d/b/a Birchwood Nursing and Rehabilitation Center

~~Stephen A. Miller, Esquire~~
Jonathan C. James, Esquire

VS.

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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

~~John A. Kane, Chief Counsel~~
Leonard W. Crumb, Assistant Counsel

June 21, 1999

Claim and filing fee filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Amount of Claim: in excess of $1,000.00+

June 24, 1999

Copy of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General. ***Answer Due from Defendant July 26, 1999***

July 1, 1999

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant June 25, 1999.

July 1, 1999

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Chief Deputy Attorney General June 28, 1999.

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July 22, 1999

Letter/Request for an Extension of Time received from attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

July 26, 1999

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant, with copy to attorney for Plaintiff, granting request for an extension of time to file Defendant's response to Claim. DEFENDANT'S RESPONSE TO CLAIM DUE AUGUST 23, 1999.

August 23, 1999

Letter/Request for an Extension of Time received from attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

August 25, 1999

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant, with copy to attorney for Plaintiff, granting request for an extension of time to file Defendant's response to Claim. DEFENDANT'S RESPONSE TO CLAIM DUE SEPTEMBER 22, 1999.

August 25, 1999

Notice of Service of Claimant's First Request for Answers to Interrogatories filed by attorney for Plaintiff.

September 22, 1999

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

October 25, 1999

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

May 19, 2000

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a Status Report. Status Report due on or before **June 19, 2000**.

July 1, 2000

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that they are preparing discovery and also that they will endeavor to organize and submit a settlement proposal for this matter.

September 21, 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.

September 21, 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.

November 27, 2000

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

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December 1, 2000

The Board made the following Order: "**AND NOW**, this 1st day of December, 2000, upon receipt of a Praecipe For Discontinuance, advising that these matters 'may be closed, ended and discontinued with prejudice', executed by Jonathan C. James, Esquire, on behalf of Plaintiff, Birchwood Nursing Center, and docketed with this Board under date of November 27, 2000, it is **ORDERED** and **DIRECTED** that said cases be marked 'closed, ended and discontinued with prejudice'." Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

December 7, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Order dated December 1, 2000 received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant December , 2000.

December 19, 2000

Acceptance of service of Order dated December , 2000 received from attorney for Plaintiff. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff December 19, 2000.

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