Docket Number: 2975

HEALTH CARE MANAGEMENT ALTERNATIVES, INC.

Manuel del Valle, Esquire Pablo Quinones, Esquire

VS.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

John A. Kane, Chief Counsel Kathleen Grogan, Assistant Counsel

November 4, 1999

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

November 8, 1999

Copy of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General. ANSWER DUE FROM DEFENDANT 12/8/99.

November 17, 1999

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Chief Deputy Attorney General November 15, 1999.

November 19, 1999

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant November 10, 1999.

December 8, 1999

Request for Extension of Time to file Responsive Pleadings(Via Fax) filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

December 10, 1999

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant, with copy to attorney for Plaintiff, granting Extension of Time to file Responsive Pleading. Response due from Defendant January 8, 2000.

January 10, 2000

Faxed second Request for a thirty day extension of time file a responsive pleading received from attorney for Defendant.

January 12, 2000

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant granting them until February 14, 2000 to file their responsive pleading.

February 14, 2000

Answer and New Matter filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant. PLTF.=s Response due 3/14/00.

March 17, 2000

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

March 22, 2000

Letter forwarded to parties directing them to proceed with discovery.

October 26, 2000

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status. Due 11/27/00.

January 31, 2001

Notice of Service of Respondent=s First Set of Interrogatories to Claimant filed by attorney for Defendant.

August 31, 2001

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status. Due 10/1/01.

October 1, 2001

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that both parties have agreed to provide responses to the outstanding discovery within ten days of the date of this letter.

February 22, 2002

Notice of Service of Claimant=s Request for Admissions of Fact served on Defendant by Plaintiff.

February 25, 2002

Notice of Service of Claimant=s Response to Respondent=s First Request for Production of Documents.

March 7, 2002

Notice of Service of Claimant's Response to Respondent's First Set of Interrogatories were served upon Defendant.

March 22, 2002

Notice of Service of Claimant=s Supplemental Response to Respondent=s First Request for Production of Documents served upon Defendant.

May 6, 2002

Certificate of Service of DPW=s Response to HMA=s Request for Admissions filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

October 24, 2002

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a status report. **RESPONSE DUE 11-25-02.**

September 29, 2005

Board rendered an Opinion and Order. Order as follows: "AND NOW, this 29th day of September, 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 4, 2005

Defendant filed Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated September 29, 2005. Receipt of same acknowledged October 3, 2005.

October 6, 2005

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