

Docket Number: 3234

JEWISH HOME AND HOSPITAL FOR THE AGED

~~Randy J. Riley, Esquire~~
Michael Hynum, Esquire

VS.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF PUBIC WELFARE

~~John A. Kane, Chief Counsel~~
~~Mary Frances Grabowski, Senior Assistant Counsel~~
Larry T. Brandenburg, Assistant Counsel
Cynthia White Williams, Assistant Counsel

April 17, 2000

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

April 26, 2000

Copy of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General. ANSWER DUE FROM DEFENDANT 5/26/00.

May 2, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant April 27, 2000.

May 3, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from Office of Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Office of Attorney General April 28, 2000.

May 8, 2000

Letter/Request for an extension of time until July 3, 2000, in which to file its responses to Plaintiff's Claim filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

May 18, 2000

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant, with copy to attorney for Plaintiff, granting Defendant's request for an extension of time until **July 3, 2000** in which to respond to Plaintiff's Claim.

June 30, 2000

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting an extension of time until July 31, 2000 to file its response to the Claim. Copy forwarded to attorney Louis J. Capozzi, Esquire.

July 3, 2000

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant granting extension of time until July 31, 2000 to file its response to New Claim. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Louis J. Capozzi, Jr., Esquire. RESPONSE DUE FROM DEFENDANT 7/31/00.

July 31, 2000

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting a 30 day extension of time in which to file responsive pleadings. Copy forwarded to Louis J. Capozzi, Esquire.

August 7, 2000

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant granting 30 day extension of time in which to file responsive pleadings. Copy forwarded to Louis J. Capozzi, Esquire. RESPONSE DUE FROM DEFENDANT 9/7/00.

September 6, 2000

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting an extension of time until October 31, 2000 in which to respond to Plaintiff's Claim.

September 8, 2000

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant granting Defendant's request for an extension of time until October 13, 2000 in which to respond to Plaintiff's Claim.

October 13, 2000

Letter received via facsimile from attorney for Defendant requesting a 30-day extension of time in which to respond to Plaintiff's Complaint.

October 16, 2000

Corrected letter received via facsimile from attorney for Defendant requesting a 30-day extension of time in which to respond to Plaintiff's Complaint.

October 16, 2000

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that Plaintiff has no objections to Defendant's request for a 30-day extension of time in which to respond to Plaintiff's Complaint.

October 17, 2000

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant granting Defendant's request for a 30-day extension of time in which to respond to Plaintiff's Complaint. **Response due November 17, 2000.**

November 16, 2000

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting an extension of time until January 19, 2001 in which to file its responsive pleading to Plaintiff's Claim. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

December 21, 2000

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant, with copy to attorney for Plaintiff, granting Defendant's request for an extension of time until **January 19, 2001** in which to file its responsive pleading to Plaintiff's Claim.

January 19, 2001

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting an extension of time until February 19, 2001 in which to file its responsive pleading to Plaintiff's Claim. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

January 24, 2001

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant, with copy to attorney for Plaintiff, granting Defendant's request for an extension of time until **February 19, 2001** in which to file its responsive pleading to Plaintiff's Claim.

February 20, 2001

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting a thirty (30) day extension of time in which to file Defendant's responsive pleading to Plaintiff's Claim. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

February 21, 2001

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant, with copy to attorney for Plaintiff, granting Defendant's request for a thirty (30) day extension of time to file Defendant's responsive pleading to Plaintiff's Claim. **Defendant's response to Plaintiff's Claim now due on or before March 22, 2001.**

March 22, 2001

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting an extension of time until Monday, March 26, 2001, to file Defendant's responsive pleading. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

March 23, 2001

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant, with copy to attorney for Plaintiff, granting Defendant's request for an extension of time until Monday, March 26, 2001, in which to file its responsive pleading.

March 26, 2001

Preliminary Objections filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

March 27, 2001

Brief of the Department of Public Welfare in Support of Preliminary Objections filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

April 16, 2001

Amended Statement of Claim filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff. Amount of Claim Unchanged.

April 19, 2001

The Board rendered an Opinion and made the following Order: **AND NOW**, this 19th day of April, 2001, it is **ORDERED** and **DECREED** that the Preliminary Objections as filed by the Defendant are hereby **DISMISSED** as being **MOOT**. It is further **ORDERED** and **DECREED** that the Defendant herein shall file their response to the Amended Complaint within thirty (30) days from the exit date of this Order.@ Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

April 24, 2001

Acceptance of Service of Amended Statement of Claim received from Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Chief Deputy Attorney General April 20, 2001.

April 26, 2001

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated April 19, 2001 received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant April 23, 2001.

May 3, 2001

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated April 19, 2001

received from attorney for Plaintiff. Receipt of same
acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff April 24, 2001.

May 16, 2001

Amended Preliminary Objections and Brief of the Department of Public Welfare in Support of Amended Preliminary Objections filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant. Response due from Plaintiff on or before **June 15, 2001**.

June 5, 2001

Claimant's Answer to Amended Preliminary Objections and Brief in Support of Claimant's Answer to Amended Preliminary Objections filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

May 22, 2002

Praecipe for Appearance of Cynthia White Williams, Assistant Counsel, on behalf of Defendant filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

May 23, 2002

Praecipe for Withdrawal of appearance of Larry T. Brandenburg, Assistant Counsel, on behalf of Defendant filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

November 13, 2002

Certificate of Service of Respondent's First Set of Continuing Interrogatories Directed to Claimant filed by attorney for Defendant.

November 13, 2002

Certificate of Service of Respondent's Request for Production of Documents filed by attorney for Defendant.

December 16, 2002

Proof of Service of Claimant's Response to Defendant's First Request for Production of Documents filed by attorney for Plaintiff.

December 16, 2002

Proof of Service of Claimant's Response to Defendant's First Set of Continuing Interrogatories filed by attorney for Plaintiff.

October 25, 2005

Board rendered an Opinion and Order. Order as follows: **"AND NOW**, this 25th 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 31, 2005

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

November 1, 2005

Defendant filed Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated October 25, 2005. Receipt of same acknowledged October 27, 2005.

November 3, 2005

Plaintiff filed Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated October 25, 2005. Receipt of same acknowledged October 31, 2005.
