Docket Number: 3439

JEFFERSON HILLS MANOR, LLC; MEADOWVIEW SENIOR LIVING CENTER, LLC; MULBERRY SQUARE ELDER CARE AND REHABILITATION CENTER, LLC; AND CURWENSVILLE NURSING HOME, INC. d/b/a RIDGEVIEW ELDER CARE AND REHABILITATION CENTER

John N. Kennedy, Esquire

VS.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

John A. Kane, Chief Counsel
Nancy N. Reedinger, Assistant Counsel
Jason W. Manne, Assistant Counsel

December 14, 2001

Claim and filing fee filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Amount of Claim: \$36,184.42.

December 19, 2001

Copy of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General. ANSWER DUE FROM DEFENDANT 1/18/02.

December 27, 2001

Acceptance of Service of Claim received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant December 21, 2001.

December 31, 2001

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

January 14, 2002

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting a sixty (60) day extension of time to file a responsive pleading.

January 15, 2002

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant granting an extension of time of 60 days to file a Responsive Pleading with copy to attorney for Plaintiff. **Defendant**=s Responsive Pleading now due on or before 3/18/02.

March 22, 2002

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting an extension of time until May 13, 2002 to file a responsive pleading.

March 25, 2002

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant granting extension of time until May 13, 2002 to file a Responsive Pleading. Defendant=s Responsive Pleading is now due on or before May 13, 2002.

May 13, 2002

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting an extension of time until July 13, 2002 in which to file

Defendant=s response to Plaintiff=s Claim. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

May 15, 2002

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant, with copy to attorney for Plaintiff, granting Defendants request for an extension of time until July 13, 2002, in which to respond to Plaintiffs Claim. Defendants responsive pleading now due on or before July 13, 2002.

July 10, 2002

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting an extension of time until August 12, 2002 in which to file an Answer or otherwise plead in this matter. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

July 11, 2002

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant, with copy to attorney for Plaintiff, granting Defendants request for an extension of time until August 12, 2002 in which to file an Answer or otherwise plead in this matter. Defendants responsive pleading is now due on or before **August 12, 2002.**

July 15, 2002

Letter received from for Defendant requesting an extension of time until September 13, 2002 in which to file an Answer or otherwise plead in this matter. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

August 19, 2002

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant, with copy to attorney for Plaintiff, granting Defendants request for an extension of time until September 13, 2002 in which to file an Answer or otherwise plead in this matter. Defendants responsive pleading is now due on or before **September 13, 2002.**

September 6, 2002

Answer and New Matter filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant. Response due from Plaintiff 10/9/02.

October 8, 2002

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

November 2, 2005

Board rendered an Opinion and Order. Order as follows: "AND NOW, this 2^{nd} day of November, 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."

November 8, 2005

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