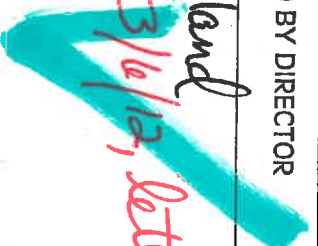


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OFFICE OF DIRECTOR

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Re: Rickie E. Watford as Personal
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Our File #2012011 J

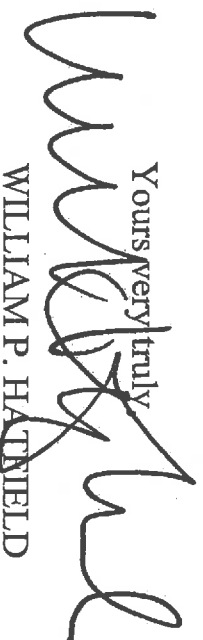
Dear Sir or Madam:

I am writing pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act to request all documents regarding ownership, control, licensing, and related entities, including but not limited to, CMS Form 1513 regarding Dundee Manor, LLC located at 710 15-401 Bypass West in Bennettsville, South Carolina.

If this cost is going to exceed \$50.00, please notify me of same prior to providing me with the information. I would greatly appreciate it if you would provide this information to me within the next twenty days. I look forward to hearing from you.

Thank you for your help and cooperation. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

With kindest regards, I am

Yours very truly

WILLIAM P. HATFIELD

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cc: Mr. Rickie E. Watford

TO:

FROM:

SUBJECT: Cost of Processing Request for Information #

The South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services has received and processed your request for information. The cost for processing this information is as follows:

Staff processing time at \$10.00 per hour _____ Hours \$ _____

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Please remit the above amount to the following address:

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Please contact _____ should you have any questions.

Signature _____ Date: _____

March 6, 2012

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Re: Rickie E. Watford as Personal Representative of the Estate of
Willard E. Watford vs. Dundee Manor, LLC

Dear Mr. Hatfield:

Your enclosed letter of February 16, 2012, was referred to this Office for a response. This agency, the Department of Health and Human Services, administers the South Carolina Medicaid Program. The South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC) is the State Survey Agency as well as the State licensing agency, and it may be that some or most of the information you seek is kept by them.

We do obtain Disclosure of Ownership and Control Interest Statement forms and other miscellaneous ownership information from providers. Also, we receive, by way of verification, copies of some information from DHEC. We believe that the information enclosed is what we have that is responsive to your request, but we did not search further than the current files in our Contracts Division, which is where most of this type information is kept. We have redacted the provider numbers, EIN and social security numbers.

Our expense for reproducing and mailing this information is twelve and 80/100 dollars (\$12.80). Please make the check payable to the Department of Health and Human Services and send it to:

Department of Health and Human Services
Department of Receivables
Post Office Box 8297
Columbia, SC 29202-8297

I hope this information is helpful to you. Please contact me if there are any questions.

Sincerely,


Richard G. Hepfer
Deputy General Counsel

RGH/h

Enclosures

cc: Lynette Wilson, Receivables (w/o enclosures)