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1. LOG NUMBER <i>1001267</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Prepare reply for the Director's signature DATE DUE _____
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February 18, 2011

SC Department of Health & Human Services
Post Office Box 8206
Columbia, SC 29202

Re: Lloyd Hill, Sr. vs. Honorage
Nursing Home of Florence,
S.C., Inc.; Howard W. Clarke;
and Karen Jackson
Our File #2010198 K

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 Honorage Nursing Center (Honorage Nursing Home of Florence, S.C., Inc.) located at 1207 North Cashua Road in Florence, 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 kind regards, I am

Yours very truly,



WILLIAM P. HATFIELD

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cc: William E. Applegate, IV, Esquire (via email)
David B. Yarborough, Jr, Esquire (via email)



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FROM:

SUBJECT: Cost of Processing FOIA Request #

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

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March 2, 2011

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Re: Lloyd Hill, Sr. vs. Honorage Nursing Home of Florence, S.C.; Howard W. Clarke;
and Karen Jackson

Dear Mr. Hatfield:

Your enclosed letter of February 18, 2011, 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 and EIN.

Our expense for reproducing and mailing this information is ten and 94/100 dollars (\$10.94). Please make the check payable to the Department of Health and Human Services and send it to:

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Department of Receivables
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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)