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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT ANCHORAGE

RICHARD HELMS,)	
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Plaintiff,)	
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vs.)	
)	
BRADLEY LOGAN, M.D. and NORTON))	
SOUND HEALTH CORPORATION, An))	
Alaska Corporation,)	
)	
Defendants.)	
_____))	CASE NO. 3AN-10- <u>10287</u> CI

COMPLAINT FOR DAMAGES

COMES NOW the Plaintiff by and through counsel, the Law Offices of Richard J. Helms, and brings this action and states as follows:

1. The Plaintiff was at all time relevant herein a resident of the State of Alaska.
2. Defendant Bradley Logan, M.D. at all time relevant herein practiced medicine in the State of Alaska.
3. Defendant Norton Sound Health Corporation was at all time relevant herein an Alaska Corporation maintaining a principal place of business in the State of Alaska where it is headquartered and engages in providing health care services.

4. On August 29, 2008 Bradley Logan was working as an emergency room physician at the Norton Sound Regional Hospital, operated by the Norton Sound Health Corporation and provided medical services to Plaintiff.

5. Plaintiff presented to Dr. Logan at Norton Sound Regional Hospital with sudden onset of substantial vision loss on one side affecting both eyes, sudden stabbing eye pain, disorientation, nausea and a never before experienced severe headache.

6. Despite Plaintiff presenting with several medical risk factors, informing Defendant Dr. Logan that he rarely experienced headaches and never had a migraine headache in his lifetime, Dr. Logan misdiagnosed the Plaintiff as suffering from an atypical headache and sent Plaintiff home with instructions to rest until feeling better.

7. After not feeling better, Plaintiff traveled to Anchorage where he sought other medical assistance and was properly diagnosed on August 30, 2008 as having suffered an ischemic stroke.

8. The Defendants failed to exercise the required degree of medical care for a physician in Nome, Alaska as required by A.S. 09.55.540 and Plaintiff did not receive appropriate treatment for his medical condition by Defendants Logan and Norton Sound Health Corporation.

9. The Defendants were negligent and their negligence was a legal cause of the Plaintiff's harm.

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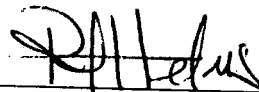
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WHEREFORE: The Plaintiff claims damages against Bradley Logan, M.D. and the Norton Sound Health Corporation as follows:

1. Past and future special damages including but not limited to medical expenses, lost income, incidental and consequential damages in an amount to be proven at trial;
2. Past and future noneconomic damages in an amount to be proven at trial;
3. Costs, interest and attorney's fees incurred in prosecuting the captioned case; and,
4. Such other relief, including equitable relief, as the court deems just and appropriate under the circumstances.

DATED this 30th day of August 2010 at Anchorage, Alaska.



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