December 24, 2015

Shavone Hamilton, Chief Operating Officer PSCH, Inc. 142-02 20th Ave, 3rd Floor Flushing, NY 11351 tel: (718) 445-4700; fax: (718) 445-5788 filecopy

Dear Ms Hamilton,

In our telephone discussion of October 7, we agreed that PSCH will pay for the dry cleaning of my clothes soiled with gypsum dust from the construction work of August 20. On November 4 I sent email to Mr Morell asking for pre-payment of that dry cleaning. Mr Morell responded that he didn't have the authority to approve the expense and he was referring the matter to you and Ms John. (See attached emails.) Since then I haven't heard back from anyone at PSCH. I request that you "step in" to get this matter resolved.

The clean-up is half-finished; the clean-up crew must return to finish the work. When the cleaning crew is done at the apartment, they will bring my soiled clothes to the dry cleaner. (As was discussed in our phone call on October 7, my physical disabilities prevent me from doing so myself.) The dry-cleaner must be paid upon drop-off. Scheduling the remaining work is dependent upon being ready, cheque in hand, to pay the dry-cleaner. The remaining clean-up work cannot be booked until arrangements are made regarding payment to the dry-cleaner.

I do not know how much the dry cleaning bill will be. If PSCH needs to know in advance the exact amount, then PSCH must provide the services of someone who can bring me and the clothes to the cleaner, wait while the bill is tallied, then bring me and the (not-cleaned) clothes back to Island House. After PSCH drafts a payment cheque and delivers it (to me or to the dry cleaner), the clothes can then be re-delivered to the dry-cleaner for actual cleaning.

A possible alternative is that a PSCH employee can pay for the dry-cleaning upon its drop-off, then PSCH can later reimburse that employee.

Please address this matter ASAP. I'm waiting for the clean-up to be finished so that I can go back to living in my apartment. And I'm waiting for the dry-cleaning to be done so that I will have the use of my winter clothes. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely

Juli Straehle

email: julistra @ verizon.net

att: email exchange regarding dry-cleaning

cc: Frederick K Brewington, Esq
Bob Boyce -- NYS Office of Mental Health - L.I. Field Office

ATTACHMENT: Email Exchange Between Juli Straehle and PSCH Regarding Dry-Cleaning

From: Juli S julistra@verizon.net To: "Morell, Raymond" <Raymond.Morell@PSCH.org> Date: 4-November-02015 at 2:09:31 PM EST

Subject: pymt for dry-cleaning

Hi, Mr Morell.

What will be the arrangement regarding payment for the dry-cleaning?

For walk-in business, dry-cleaners expect payment upon drop-off. Although All-Seasons is willing to bring the clothes to the cleaner, I would not expect All-Seasons to pay for the dry-cleaning in anticipation of reimbursement from PSCH. And I certainly do not have the funds to pay for it myself.

How shall we proceed?

Juli Straehle

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From: "Morell, Raymond" Raymond.Morell@psch.org

To: 'Juli S' julistra@verizon.net

Date: 5-November-02015 at 8:57:57 AM EST

Subject: RE: pymt for dry-cleaning

Good Morning Ms. Straehle,

I forwarded your email to Ms. Shavone Hamilton, and Ms. Crystal John since they'll need to respond to your question. Unfortunately I am unable to authorize these funds.

Thanks.

Ray Morell

From: Juli S julistra@verizon.net

To: "Morell, Raymond" Raymond.Morell@psch.org

Cc: Shavone.Hamilton@PSCH.org

Date: 5-November-02015 at 4:26:49 PM EST

Subject: Re: pymt for dry-cleaning

Hi, Mr Morell.

Thanks for your response.

As you may recall, the cleaning service (All-Seasons) will bring the garments to the cleaner. The dry-cleaner will expect payment at time of drop-off. So I cannot schedule the remaining clean-up by All-Seasons until there are solid arrangements for how the dry-cleaners will be paid.

I had understood that Ms Hamilton personally designated you to act in her stead to ensure that both the clean-up and the drycleaning were accomplished smoothly. I had assumed that Ms Hamilton authorized you to exercise your own judgment regarding expenditures for that purpose. If that is not the case — that is, if you do not have the authority to authorize expenditures for that purpose — then I should properly be corresponding directly with Ms Hamilton, not with you.

Please advise.

- Juli Straehle

tel: (516) 551-4290

From: Juli Straehle <julistra@verizon.net>

Date: 3-December-02015 at 8:20:55 PM EST Subject: Re: pymt for dry-cleaning

To: "Morell, Raymond" <Raymond.Morell@psch.org>

Cc: Shavone.Hamilton@PSCH.org

Hello, Mr Morell.

I'm still waiting for instructions from PSCH on what to do about the dry-cleaning pre-payment. And I cannot go forward on scheduling the remaining clean-up (which will involve taking my clothes to the dry-cleaner) until that issue is settled.

Why the delay?

-- Juli Straehle



