

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT,
IN AND FOR ALACHUA COUNTY, FLORIDA

JOEL K. HARRIS, SR.,

CASE NO.: 2012-CA-2937

Plaintiff,

vs.

SHANDS TEACHING HOSPITAL AND CLINICS, INC. d.b.a.
SHANDS HOSPITAL AT THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA,¹
THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA BOARD OF TRUSTEES,²
THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA PHYSICIANS³
AND ANY OTHER UNNAMED HEALTH CARE PROVIDER
AND ANY OTHER PRINCIPAL, AGENT, EMPLOYER OR EMPLOYEE
OF ANY NAMED OR UNNAMED HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS TO
PLAINTIFF JOEL K. HARRIS

Defendants,

FILED
OK 58
2012 JUL 16 PM 3:10
J.K. "BUDDY" RBY
CLERK OF COURTS
ALACHUA COUNTY FL

**PETITION TO THE CLERK OF THE COURT, PURSUANT TO FLORIDA
STATUTE §766.104(2) FOR AN AUTOMATIC NINETY DAY EXTENSION
OF THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS TO ALLOW A REASONABLE
INVESTIGATION OF A MEDICAL NEGLIGENCE CLAIM**

Plaintiff, **Joel K. Harris, SR.**, petitions the Clerk of the Court for an automatic 90-day extension of the Statute of Limitations, and says:

1. Joel K. Harris, Sr. has a potential claim for medical negligence.
2. The venue of any claim for medical negligence by Plaintiff, Joel K. Harris, Sr. will be in Alachua County, Florida.
3. As required by Florida Statute 766.104(1), Plaintiff's Undersigned Counsel is conducting a reasonable investigation to determine that there are grounds for a good faith belief that there was negligence in the medical care or treatment of Joel K. Harris, Sr.

Case: 2012 CA 002937



4. Florida Statute §766.104(2) provides for an automatic 90-day extension of the statute of limitations for medical negligence to allow the reasonable investigation required by Florida Statute 766.104(1).

Dated this 16th day of July, 2012.

Respectfully Submitted,



~~N. Albert Bacharach, Jr.~~

Florida Bar Number: 209783

N. ALBERT BACHARACH, JR., P.A.

115 Northeast 6th Avenue

Gainesville, Florida 32601

(352) 378-9859 FAX: (352) 338-1858

N.A.Bacharach@att.net