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LATROBE, PA  
15650 - 1096  
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March 21, 2001

Office of the Secretary  
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission  
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
PO Box 3265  
Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265

Dear Sir or Madame:

Enclosed for your consideration, please find our application for licensure as a motor common carrier paratransit service. We are proposing to operate a wheel chair van service through our Ligonier Valley Ambulance Service Department.

Latrobe Area Hospital is a Pennsylvania non-profit corporation and is recognized as a 501(c)(3) organization by the Internal Revenue Service. Our Board of Directors receives no compensation for their services, nor do they derive any profit from the operation of the hospital.

We have enclosed the application fee of \$350 along with the following Latrobe Area Hospital documents:

- 1. Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation
- 2. Articles of Amendment
- 3. Certificate of Summary of Record
- 4. Board of Directors List

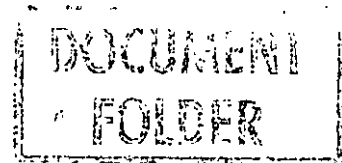
Should you have questions or require further information, please contact our attorney Mr. Gerald J. Yanity, 1870 Ligonier Street, Latrobe, Pennsylvania 15650. His phone number is (724) 539-7378.

We appreciate your prompt consideration of our application.

Sincerely,

David M. Hanig,  
Manager, Pre-hospital  
and Emergency Services

Cc: Gerald J. Yanity



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Before the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission

APPLICATION

MOTOR COMMON or CONTRACT CARRIER OF PERSONS

CHECK ONLY ONE SERVICE TYPE:

- Airport Transfer
- Paratransit
- Call or Demand
- Scheduled Route
- Limousine
- Group and Party  
(15 passengers or less)

1. Latrobe Area Hospital, Inc.  
FULL NAME OF APPLICANT (Individual, Partnership or Corporation)

2. [Handwritten mark]  
TRADE NAME IF ANY  
The trade name, if fictitious, \_\_\_\_\_ been registered with the  
(has or has not)  
Secretary of the Commonwealth on \_\_\_\_\_. Attach a date  
stamped copy of the registration form.

3. 121 West Second Avenue, Latrobe, PA 15650 (724)537-1000  
PHYSICAL ADDRESS TELEPHONE NUMBER (REQUIRED)  
(City, County, and Zip Code)

4. Same  
MAILING ADDRESS IF DIFFERENT FROM PHYSICAL ADDRESS

5. Gerald J. Yanity - (724) 539-7378  
ATTORNEY'S NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER FOR THIS FILING  
(Do not supply an Attorney's name if you want all correspondence and notice of  
process mailed directly to you.)

1870 Ligonier Street, Latrobe, PA 15650  
ATTORNEY'S ADDRESS

**DOCKETED**

MAY 17 2001  
[Handwritten signature]

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DOCUMENT  
FOLDER

6. APPLICANT does not HOLD PA PUC AUTHORITY UNDER  
(does or does not)  
Docket Number N/A, and operates as a N/A carrier.  
(common or contract)

7. APPLICANT does not HOLD INTERSTATE OPERATING  
(does or does not)  
AUTHORITY AT DOCKET NUMBER N/A.

8. CHECK ONE THAT APPLIES TO THIS APPLICATION:

INDIVIDUAL

PARTNERSHIP. ATTACH A COPY OF A PARTNERSHIP  
AGREEMENT AND LIST THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF ALL  
PARTNERS BELOW:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

(Attach a separate sheet if space provided is not sufficient.)

CORPORATION. ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE  
OF Pennsylvania AND QUALIFIED TO DO BUSINESS  
IN PENNSYLVANIA BY REGISTERING WITH THE SECRETARY  
OF THE COMMONWEALTH ON October 5, 1907--August 29, 1988 - Certificate of the  
ATTACH A DATE-STAMPED COPY OF THE APPLICATION FOR Summary of Record  
CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OR CERTIFICATE OF filed with the  
AUTHORITY. INCLUDE A LIST OF CORPORATE OFFICERS WITH Dept. of State.  
TITLES, NAMES OF SHAREHOLDERS AND NUMBER OF SHARES  
HELD, AND ADDRESSES.

10. ATTACHMENT CHECKLIST:

FOR CORPORATIONS ONLY:

- DATE STAMPED COPY OF APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF  
INCORPORATION OR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY.
- LIST OF CORPORATE OFFICERS/TITLES AND DISTRIBUTION OF  
SHARES.
- STATEMENT OF CORPORATE CHARTER PURPOSE.

(See Application for Charter)

FOR PARTNERSHIPS ONLY:

COPY OF PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT.

FOR ALL APPLICANTS:

- FICTITIOUS TRADE NAME REGISTRATION (IF APPLICABLE)  
 MAP FOR SCHEDULED ROUTE SERVICE (IF APPLICABLE)  
 CERTIFIED CHECK, MONEY ORDER OR ATTORNEY'S CHECK

- 11.** DESCRIBE THE SERVICE PROPOSED BY THIS APPLICATION.  
COMMON OR CONTRACT? IN WHAT AREA OF PENNSYLVANIA WILL  
THIS PROPOSED SERVICE BE PROVIDED?  
(Use the space below or attach additional sheet if space provided is not sufficient).
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See attachment.

- 12.** CERTIFICATION:

APPLICANT CERTIFIES THAT IT IS NOT NOW ENGAGED IN  
UNAUTHORIZED INTRASTATE TRANSPORTATION FOR  
COMPENSATION BETWEEN POINTS IN PENNSYLVANIA AND WILL  
NOT ENGAGE IN SAID TRANSPORTATION UNLESS AND UNTIL  
AUTHORIZATION IS RECEIVED FROM THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC  
UTILITY COMMISSION.



Question 11

DESCRIBE THE SERVICE PROPOSED BY THIS APPLICATION. COMMON OR CONTRACT? IN WHAT AREA OF PENNSYLVANIA WILL THIS PROPOSED SERVICE BE PROVIDED?

Answer to Question 11

In accordance with our mission to promote community health, and to improve community access to healthcare, Latrobe Area Hospital through its Ligonier Valley Ambulance Department is proposing to operate a paratransit (wheel chair van service). We have no plan to provide transportation that is unrelated to health care access.

Our primary purpose is to assist residents of the Ligonier Township, Ligonier Borough, and Laurel Mountain Borough with transportation to and from health care providers including hospitals, nursing homes, personal care homes, as well as physician or dentist offices.

Secondly, we will provide the same level of transportation to communities adjacent to Ligonier Township in the event that our assistance is required.

Finally, in order to facilitate the availability of empty beds for newly admitted patients, we are proposing to transport discharged patients from Latrobe Area Hospital who require paratransit services, to within a 20-mile radius of the hospital. These communities are shown on the attached map.

We will operate as a common carrier. Transportation arrangements including the location and time of pick-up must be scheduled in advance.

We will operate a vehicle(s) that meets ADA specifications and which will seat less than 15 passengers including the driver. The driver will be a certified emergency medical technician. Vehicle(s) will be equipped with a wheel chair lift. We will provide on-board oxygen and a first aid kit for use in the event of sudden illness, injury or unexpected change in the medical condition of a passenger.

Paratransport.doc

See top  
of 5-16-01  
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## EXHIBIT "A"

## LATROBE AREA HOSPITAL, INC.

AMENDED AND RESTATED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

1. The name of the corporation is Latrobe Area Hospital, Inc.
2. The location and post office address of the registered office of the corporation in this Commonwealth is West Second Avenue, Latrobe, Pennsylvania, 15650. The corporation may have such other places for the conduct of its business, within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, or elsewhere as may be determined by its board of directors from time to time.
3. The corporation was incorporated under the name of Latrobe Hospital Association under authority of the Act of April 29, 1874 (P. L. 73) (repealed), and the purposes of the corporation are exclusively charitable, scientific or educational within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (hereinafter in these Articles referred to as the "Code"), and, in furtherance of such purposes, the corporation may engage in any lawful activity which may be conducted on a not-for-profit basis and otherwise all rights and powers conferred by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
4. The term for which the corporation is to exist is perpetual.
5. The corporation is organized upon a nonstock basis.
6. The corporation shall have no members.
7. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles, the corporation shall not engage directly or indirectly in any activity that would prevent it from qualifying, and continuing to qualify, as a corporation described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Code (hereinafter referred to in these Articles as an "exempt organization"), or as a corporation contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Code. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be devoted to carrying on propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation (except as otherwise provided in Section 501(h) of the Code), or participating in or intervening in (including the publishing or distributing of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

8. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, no part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its directors, officers, members or any other private individual; provided, however, the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered to the extent that such payments do not prevent it from qualifying, and continuing to qualify, as an exempt organization and to make lawful payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article 3 hereof as may from time to time be either required or permitted by Section 501(c)(3) of the Code.

9. The corporation shall not merge or consolidate with any corporation unless the successor corporation is an exempt organization.

10. In the event that the corporation shall be dissolved and liquidated, the Board of Directors, after paying or making provision for payment, of all of the known liabilities of the corporation, may distribute the corporation's property and assets among such one or more corporations, trusts, funds, or other organizations, which at the time are exempt from Federal income tax as organizations described in Section 501(c)(3), as, in the sole judgment of the corporation's Board of Directors, have purposes most likely closely allied to those of the corporation. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction exclusively to one or more of such corporations, trusts, funds, or other organizations as said court shall determine, which at the time are exempt from Federal income tax as organizations described in Section 501(c)(3), and which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes. No private individual shall share in the distribution of any corporate assets upon dissolution of the corporation.

11. References in these articles of incorporation to a section of the Code shall be construed to refer both to such section and to the regulations promulgated thereunder, as they now exist or may hereafter be amended in this or in any subsequent internal revenue laws of the United States.

12. (a) To the fullest extent that the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, as in effect on January 27, 1987, or as thereafter amended, permit elimination or limitation of the liability of directors, no director of the corporation shall be personally liable for monetary damages as such for any action taken, or any failure to take any action, as a director.

(b) This Article 12 shall not apply to any actions filed prior to January 27, 1987, nor to any breach of performance of duty or any failure of performance of duty by any director of the corporation occurring prior to January 27, 1987. The provisions of the Article shall be deemed to be a contract with each director of the corporation who serves as such at any time while this Article is in effect and each such director shall be deemed to be so serving in reliance on the provisions of this Article. Any amendment or repeal of this Article or adoption of any bylaw or provision of the Articles of the corporation which has the effect of increasing liability of a director shall operate prospectively only and shall not affect any action taken, or any failure to act, prior to the adoption of such amendment, repeal, bylaw or provision.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned corporation has caused these Amended and Restated Articles to be signed by a duly authorized officer and its corporate seal, duly attested by another such officer, to be hereunto affixed this 29th day of August, 1988.

LATROBE AREA HOSPITAL, INC.

BY: Louis V. Kasperik  
Louis V. Kasperik, Chairman

ATTEST:

Douglas A. Clark  
Douglas A. Clark, Secretary



Office of the  
Secretary of the Commonwealth

HARRISBURG, September 16, 1963

I DO HEREBY CERTIFY, That the <sup>new</sup> name

LATROBE AREA HOSPITAL, INC.

being available for use by a ~~proposed~~ nonprofit corporation, was  
this day duly registered in this office in accordance with the  
provisions of Article VII of the Nonprofit Corporation Law,  
approved the fifth day of May, A. D. 1933, P. L. 289, as amended.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand  
and caused the Seal of the Secretary's Office to  
be affixed at the City of Harrisburg the day and  
year above written.

(Seal)

*George L. Bloom*

Secretary of the Commonwealth

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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF WESTMORELAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE: AMENDMENT TO CHARTER OF )  
LATROBE HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION ; No. 191 November Term, 1907  
)

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT

1. LATROBE HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION is a non-profit Corporation duly registered under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, with its registered office at Second Avenue, Latrobe, Pennsylvania.

2. Said Corporation was formed in compliance with the Act of April 29, 1874, P. L. 73. The Decree of Incorporation was entered October 5, 1907, and the original Articles recorded on the same date in Westmoreland County Corporation Book No. 9, Page 125.

3. On June 17, 1963 at 7:40 P. M., at the registered office of the Corporation at Second Avenue, Latrobe, Pennsylvania, at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of said Corporation, duly convened with at least ten (10) days written notice to all members, it was duly moved, seconded and unanimesaly

RESOLVED, that the Articles of Incorporation of  
Latrobe Hospital Association be amended to read as follows:

1. Section (1) be amended to read as follows:

The name of the Corporation is Latrobe Area  
Hospital, Inc.

2. Section (6) of the Articles of Incorporation shall  
read as follows:

The number of Directors of the Corporation shall be not less than ten (10), and not more than twenty-five (25).

3. Section (8) of the Articles of Incorporation as hereinafter set forth shall be deleted;

8. The yearly income of the corporation, other than that derived from real estate, will not exceed the sum of twenty thousand dollars.

4. Notice of the intention to amend the Articles of Incorporation was duly publicized. Proof of such publication is attached hereto as Exhibit "A".

5. Certification of Registration of new name by said Corporation is attached hereto as Exhibit "B".

WHEREFORE, your Honorable Court is requested to enter an Order approving the aforesaid Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation of LATROBE HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION.

Witness our hands and seals this 22nd day of Oct. , 1963.

LATROBE HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION

BY /s/ J. M. Underwood  
J. M. Underwood, President

/s/ D. K. Bullens  
D. K. Bullens, Secretary

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA )  
: SS:  
COUNTY OF WESTMORELAND )

Before me, the undersigned authority, in and for said County and Commonwealth, personally came the above named, J. M. Underwood and D. K. Bullens, who, as President and Secretary of the Board of Directors of Latrobe Hospital Association, being authorized to do so, and being duly sworn according to law, acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be their act and deed for the purposes therein specified, and that the facts contained therein are true and correct.

Witness my hand and seal of office the 22nd day of October , 1963.

/s/ George M. Lynch

Notary Public

My Commission Expires  
April 3, 1967

IN RE: AMENDMENT TO CHARTER OF )  
LATROBE HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION ; No. 191 November Term, 1907  
)

ORDER OF COURT

AND NOW, to with, this 3 day of January  
1964, upon motion of George M. Lynch, attorney for the Petitioner  
and it appearing to the Court that the Articles of Amendment  
were filed with the Prothonotary's Office of Westmoreland County  
on ~~NOVEMBER 17~~, 1963, and it further appearing that notice  
has been given by advertisement in the Westmoreland Law Journal  
and the Latrobe Bulletin, prior to the presentation of this  
Petition to the Court, and it further appearing that the Petition  
for Amendment is in proper form and there being no objections to  
the Amendment of the Charter.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that  
the Articles of Incorporation of LATROBE HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION be  
amended as follows:

1. Section (1) be amended to read as follows:

The name of the Corporation is Latrobe Area Hospital,  
Inc.

2. Section (6) of the Articles of Incorporation shall  
read as follows:

The number of Directors of the Corporation shall be  
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five (25).

3. Section (8) of the Articles of Incorporation as  
hereinafter set forth shall be deleted:

8. The yearly income of the corporation, other than that derived from real estate, will not exceed the sum of twenty thousand dollars.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED AND DECREED that the said Articles of Amendment is approved and that upon the recording of the Articles of Amendment, together with this Order, said Amendments shall become a part of the corporate Articles of Incorporation.

BY THE COURT:

L. ALEXANDER Seabrook

Judge

ATTEST:

Leo SARKALA

Prothonotary

Notary Public  
Date January 24, 1964  
Witnessed by  
Leo SARKALA, Prothonotary  
Leo SARKALA  
Prothonotary

**CERTIFICATE OF SUMMARY OF RECORD**  
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE - CORPORATION BUREAU  
308 NORTH OFFICE BUILDING, HARRISBURG, PA 17120

**FEE \$40.00**

Unless  
Accompanying  
Another  
Filing

PLEASE CHECK ONE:

- DOMESTIC LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
  - DOMESTIC NON PROFIT CORPORATION
  - DOMESTIC PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION
- ENTER LICENSE NUMBER →

1 NAME OF CORPORATION OR LIMITED PARTNERSHIP  
Latrobe Area Hospital, Inc.

2 ADDRESS OF REGISTERED OFFICE OR PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IN PENNSYLVANIA (P.O. BOX NUMBER NOT ACCEPTABLE)  
West Second Avenue

CITY COUNTY STATE 064 ZIP CODE  
Latrobe Westmoreland Pennsylvania 15650

3 THE STATUTE BY OR UNDER WHICH THE CORPORATION OR LIMITED PARTNERSHIP WAS FORMED  
Act of April 29, 1874 (P. L. 73) (Repealed)

4 THE CORPORATION - LIMITED PARTNERSHIP WAS ORIGINALLY FORMED ON  
UNDER THE NAME OF: Latrobe Hospital Association October 5 19 07  
(DATE)

5 THE ORIGINAL STATEMENT, ARTICLES, CERTIFICATE OR OTHER ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS WERE RECORDED OR FILED ON  
October 5, 1907 IN: Recorder of Deeds Office of Westmoreland County, in Corporation  
(DATE) Book No. 9, page 185.

6 (IF APPLICABLE) THE MANNER IN WHICH THE CORPORATION WAS FORMED WAS BY:  
 SPECIAL ACT (See § 3)  DECREE OF Court of Common Pleas ENTERED (DATE) Oct. 5, 1907  
Westmoreland (Name of Court) County

LETTERS PATENT GRANTED ON \_\_\_\_\_  FILING OF \_\_\_\_\_ IN THE \_\_\_\_\_

7 CHECK IF APPLICABLE  
 CURRENTLY EFFECTIVE ORGANIZATION DOCUMENTS (OR AMENDED OR RESTATED ARTICLES) ARE ATTACHED HEREWITH AS EXHIBIT A

8 EACH NAME BY WHICH THE CORPORATION WAS KNOWN AND THE EFFECTIVE DATES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

NAME	EFFECTIVE DATE
Latrobe Hospital Association	October 5, 1907
Latrobe Area Hospital, Inc.	October 22, 1963

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, THE (UNDERSIGNED CORPORATE OFFICERS/PARTNERS HAVE SIGNED AND SEALED

THE CERTIFICATE OF SUMMARY OF RECORD THIS 29th DAY OF August, 19 88.

ATTEST:

Douglas A. Clark  
Douglas A. Clark, Secretary

Louis V. Kasperik  
Louis V. Kasperik, Chairman

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LATROBE AREA HOSPITAL  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
2000-2001

CONFIDENTIAL

CHAIRMAN..... Joseph V. Serwinski  
VICE CHAIRMAN..... Louis A. Steiner  
TREASURER..... Paul A. Kondrich

SECRETARY..... Douglas A. Clark  
ASST. TREASURER..... James R. Okonak

NAME	OFFICE ADDRESS	PHONE	RESIDENCE ADDRESS	PHONE
Rev. Martin R. Bartel, O.S.B. 09/25/95	St. Vincent College 300 Fraser Purchase Road Latrobe, PA 15650-2690	539-9761	St. Vincent Archabbey Latrobe, PA 15650 <b>e-mail: mbartel@stvincent.edu</b>	532-6699
D. A. Clark Executive Director 08/01/82	Latrobe Area Hospital 121 West Second Avenue Latrobe, PA 15650-1096	537-1001 <b>e-mail: dclark@lah.com</b> <b>Fax: 537-1447</b>	818 St. Clair Street Latrobe, PA 15650-2063	537-9360
P. A. Dymond* President 04/26/82 (William)	Dymond Associates 1302 Ridgeview Drive Latrobe, PA 15650	539-1370 <b>e-mail: bpdymond@aol.com</b> <b>Fax: 532-4255</b>	1302 Ridgeview Drive Latrobe, PA 15650 <b>Fax: 532-4255</b> <b>e-mail: bpdymond@aol.com</b>	539-1370
T. P. Gessner, M.D. Medical Director 04/25/94 (Penny)	Latrobe Area Hospital 121 West Second Avenue Latrobe, PA 15650-1096	537-1939 <b>e-mail: tgessner@lah.com</b> <b>Fax: 532-6965</b>	210 Westview Drive Ligonier, PA 15658-8742	238-5891
D. H. Hoffman* 08/27/96 (Mary)	Laurelcrest 58-G Star Route East Ligonier, PA 15658	829-3470	Star Route East, Box 58G Ligonier, PA 15658-1135 or Beaconport 2367 Beacon Lane, Naples, FL 34103	238-7842 <b>e-mail: Hoffman.Donald@worldnet.att.net</b> (941) 261-7406
L. V. Kasperik* 04/24/58	-----	-----	425 West Fourth Avenue Derry, PA 15627	694-2374
P. A. Kondrich 04/26/93 (Cheryl)	MCL Associates Inc. P.O. Box 949 Latrobe, PA 15650	537-0932 <b>e-mail: kondrich@tcsinternet.net</b> <b>Fax: <del>537-4521</del> 238-5192</b>	105 St. Clair Circle Ligonier, PA 15658 <b>fuzzywassy@aol.com</b>	238-2094
T. A. Matthews, M.D. Vice President Medical Staff 05/01/00 (Natalie)	217 Depot Street Latrobe, PA 15650	Fax: 537-9847 537-7100 <b>e-mail: matthews@westol.com</b>	R.D. #4, Box 100B Latrobe, PA 15650	532-3617

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NAME	OFFICE ADDRESS	PHONE	RESIDENCE ADDRESS	PHONE
J. R. Mazero, M.D. President Charitable Foundation 01/10/66 (Rose)	Latrobe Area Hospital 121 West Second Avenue Latrobe, PA 15650-1096	537-1926 Fax: 532-6865 e-mail: lahcf@lah.com	857 Weldon Street Latrobe, PA 15650	539-1284 Fax: (Winter Months) 623/214-1542
B. A. McHugh* President Hospital Aid Society 04/26/99 (James)	-----	-----	R.D. #3, P.O. Box 385-B Latrobe, PA 15650	423-6045
J. C. McHugh President 04/27/87 (Betty Ann)	Pakco Industrial Ceramics 55 Hillview Avenue Latrobe, PA 15650	539-6005 Fax: 539-6017 e-mail: jmchugh@nortonpakco.com	R.D.#3, P.O. Box 385-B Latrobe, PA 15650	423-6045
S. Mellon* 02/28/83 (Prosser)	-----	-----	Huntland Downs, Box K Loyalhanna Farms Ligonier, PA 15658	238-9517 Fax: 238-6744
L. E. Moore, Jr. Attorney at Law 04/17/67 (Pat)	P.O. Box 758 1004 Ligonier Street, 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor Latrobe, PA 15650	539-3511 Fax: 539-3527	128A Schultz Lane Latrobe, PA 15650	539-5533
C. R. Nichols, D.Ed. Director of Personnel 03/25/91 (Nan)	St. Vincent College Alfred Hall 300 Fraser Purchase Road Latrobe, PA 15650-2690	537-4586	P.O. Box 4358 Hidden Valley, PA 15502	(814) 445-5811
J. R. Okonak Executive Director 01/01/82 (Chris)	McFeely-Rogers Foundation P.O. Box 110 1100 Ligonier Street Latrobe, PA 15650	537-5588 Fax: 537-5589	711 Main Street Latrobe, PA 15650	537-4949
A. D. Palmer 05/26/70	P.O. Box 52 Youngstown, PA 15696	537-7751 Fax: 537-9355 e-mail: bd3269@aol.com	P.O. Box 52 Youngstown, PA 15696	537-7751
G. N. Potts* 10/16/67	-----	-----	One Trimont Lane, #1120B Pittsburgh, PA 15211	(412) 431-7530 e-mail: jerrypotts@aol.com
P. M. Schiller Vice President 04/26/99 (Mary Anne)	Director of Kennametal Distribution Services Kennametal Inc. P.O. Box 231 Latrobe, PA 15650-0231	539-6805 Fax: 539-6718	427 Glenmeade Road Greensburg, PA 15601	853-8020

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NAME	OFFICE ADDRESS	PHONE	RESIDENCE ADDRESS	PHONE
M. Schober* 01/27/75	-----	-----	124 Hermitage Circle Ligonier, PA 15658	238-4643 <b>Fax: 238-4643</b>
J. V. Serwinski* 10/26/87 ( <i>Mary Ann</i> )	----- <b>e-mail: joeser@kiski.net</b>	-----	201 Hill Street Blairsville, PA 15717	459-6877 <b>Fax: 459-6877</b>
W. R. Snowman, M.D. President Medical Staff 01/25/99 ( <i>Susan</i> )	G. U., Inc. 600 Ligonier Street Latrobe, PA 15650	539-9736 <b>Fax: 539-2836</b>	692 College Avenue Greensburg, PA 15601	836-4754
A. W. Spinelli* Executive Vice President and General Manager 04/25/94 ( <i>Jimette</i> )	Frederick Brewing Company 4607 Wedgewood Boulevard Frederick, MD 21703	888-258-7434 <b>Fax: 301-694-2971</b>	1223 Longview Drive Greensburg, PA 15601 853-6689 <b>e-mail: AISpinelli@aol.com</b>	832-9827
W. D. Stavisky, Ed.D. Superintendent 04/29/96 ( <i>Sheila</i> )	Greater Latrobe School District Administrative Offices 410 Main Street Latrobe, PA 15650	539-4203 <b>Fax: 539-4202</b> <b>e-mail: stavisky@wiu.k12.pa.us</b>	R.D. 1, Box 174A Mt. Pleasant, PA 15666	423-8982
L. A. Steiner President 04/17/67 ( <i>Barbara</i> )	Latrobe Foundry Machine & Supply Company P.O. Box 431 Latrobe, PA 15650	537-3341 <b>Fax: 537-0482</b>	R.D. #2 Ligonier, PA 15658	238-2139
C. P. Weigel* 04/28/86 ( <i>Judy</i> )	-----	-----	145 Club Manor Road Latrobe, PA 15650	537-2884

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**EMERITUS MEMBERS:**

C. K. Macdonald  
P.O. Box 593  
Ligonier, PA 15658  
238-2465  
(02/28/63 to 06/29/87)

C. S. May  
P.O. Box 365  
Ligonier, PA 15658  
238-6462  
(04/23/57 to 04/26/82)

LAW OFFICES OF  
**GERALD J. YANITY**  
1870 LIGONIER STREET  
LATROBE PENNSYLVANIA 15650

GERALD J. YANITY  
GERALD W. YANITY

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May 16, 2001

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission  
P.O. Box 3265  
Harrisburg PA 17105-3265

Attention: Ms. Gale Travitz

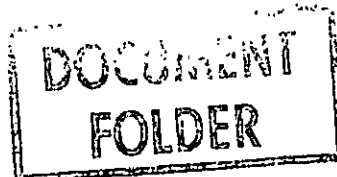
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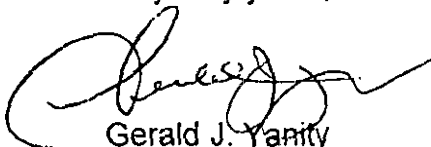
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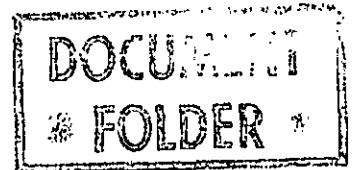
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*Subject to  
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LATROBE AREA HOSPITAL INC  
121 WEST SECOND AVENUE  
LATROBE PA 16550

ATTN: DOUGLAS A CLARK  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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In re: Your PUC docket number is A-00117832 -Paratransit application of Latrobe Area Hospital, Inc.

Dear Mr. Clark:

As per my conversation with your attorney of the above date, I have received the application and company check filed in reference to the above-captioned application. I am returning the company check and holding your application in abeyance pending receipt of the personal check, money order or attorney's check.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at the number listed below.

Sincerely yours,

Gale E. Travitz  
Transportation Application Specialist  
Compliance Section  
Bureau of Transportation and Safety  
(717) 787-5513

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Re: Paratransit application of Latrobe Area  
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PUC Docket # A-00117832

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On May 16, 2001, I sent you a proposed, revised text for paragraph 11 of the hospital's application. Please advise whether or not that draft is acceptable.

I believe that the only remaining issue involves the hospital's use of the designation "Ligonier Valley Ambulance Service," for its proposed paratransit service. As I indicated to you, the hospital acquired all of the assets of the Ligonier Valley Ambulance Service years ago and has continued to use that designation for the ambulance service, because of its familiarity in the subject service area. As you know, the pending application sets forth only Latrobe Area Hospital, Inc., as the applicant. We understand that if we intend to utilize any form of the Ligonier Valley Ambulance Service name in connection with the proposed paratransit service, we will have to comply with the Pennsylvania Fictitious Names Act. I am continuing to research whether or not the hospital previously filed a Fictitious Name application for use of that designation. I hope to have that information available shortly and will advise you accordingly.

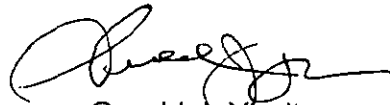
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Gerald J. Yanity

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cc :Mr. Douglas A. Clark, LAH  
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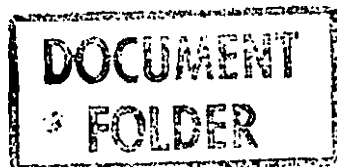
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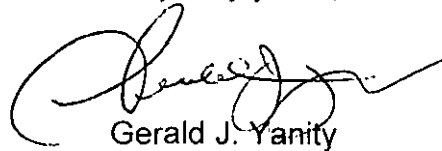
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June 1, 2001

GERALD J YANITY  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
1870 LIGONIER ST  
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In re: A-00117832 - Application of Latrobe Area Hospital, Inc.

Dear Mr. Yanity:

The application cited above has been captioned as attached and will be submitted for review provided no protests are filed on or before July 2, 2001. If protests are filed, you will be advised as to further proceeding.

You are further advised that the above application will be published in the Pennsylvania Bulletin of June 9, 2001.

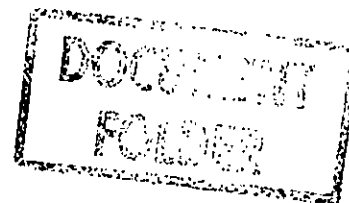
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Application Received: 03/28/01

Application Docketed: 05/17/01

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The addressee named here has paid the PA P.U.C. for the following bill:

GERALD YANITY ESQUIRE  
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(for Department of Revenue)

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