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February 8, 1990

St. Petersburg, Florida

Dear

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I am in receipt of your letter of January 25 concerning the commendable and professional service that Mr. his associate and office staff provided you. It is rare that I get a letter complimenting us on one of our members. As you can imagine, most of the letters we receive are from people complaining about their attorney. It is really heartening to receive a letter such as yours since we have a tendency only to see the other side of the profession.

Although we know that the vast majority of the lawyers out there are professionals and attempt to perform their duties in a demeanor that is appropriate, there are some out there who do not live up to our expectations. I appreciate you taking the time to let me know that they did what they could to assist you.

Cordially yours,

John F. Harkness, Jr.

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cc: Mr. Stephen N. Zack
Mr. James Fox Miller
Mr. Ben Hill, III
Mr.

Dear Ned - I appreciate the extra mile(s)
you've been going.

...like peace and joy
and friends like you.

HAVE A
BLESSED CHRISTMAS

Merry Christmas!

Margaret

June 30, 1994

Mr. Neal J. Blaher
Hillcrest Plaza, Ste. 200
1516 East Hillcrest Street
Orlando, FL 32803

Dear Neal:

Thank you for your note of June 28th, including the check which I have forwarded to mom. We really appreciate the very professional and expeditious manner in which you have handled this situation. Any remaining disbursements can be disbursed directly to my mother, [redacted]. I hope I do not need your services in the future, but if I do you can be assured that I will use them. I have already recommended you to several people who as of yet do not need your services.

Once again, thank you for your help.

Sincerely,

[redacted]
M.D.

January 3, 1995

Mr. Neal J. Blaher
P.O. Box 804
Orlando, FL 32802-0804

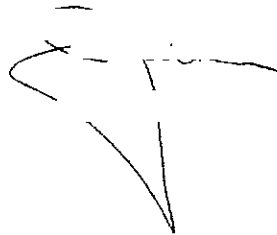
Dear Neal:

Thanks for sending the check from the trust account and also for your prompt, courteous and reassuring response to my concerns.

You have certainly done everything possible to pursue our case, and I would repeat that I'm grateful for your service and for our relationship

Best wishes always.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "J. Blaher", written in a cursive style. The signature is positioned below the word "Sincerely,".

April 18, 1995

Gainesville, Fl

Neal Blaher, Esq.
Hillicrest Plaza, Suite 200
1516 East Hillcrest Street
Orlando, Fl 32803

Dear Mr. Blaher,

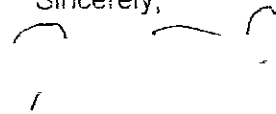
On behalf of my entire family, I would like to thank you for your diligent representation of my Grandmother, [redacted]. As I informed you at the initiation of this action, any settlement you could get from Merrill Lynch would be a high moral victory. The [redacted] settlement you negotiated exceeded everyone's expectations and went a long way toward helping Ms. [redacted] recover from an emotionally damaging experience.

Through out the course of your talks with Merrill Lynch, [redacted] kept me apprised of your efforts and showed me the various letters you sent. Having worked as a law clerk in several firms, I can say with confidence that your commitment to keep the client informed is unparalleled. I found your representation to be diligent, competent and caring. Add to this, your actions were done on behalf of a client paying a contingency fee, and at a percentage significantly less than you were entitled.

Thank you very much for a job well done. You did more than you had to, and certainly more than most attorneys would. Within the year I will graduate law school and become a member of the Florida Bar. I plan on practicing somewhere in the central Florida area. If I can ever return the favor, please do not hesitate to ask.

Until then, I remain

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a series of loops and curves, positioned below the word "Sincerely,".

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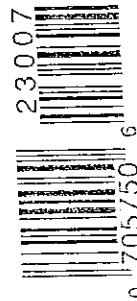
VERY,

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very,

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much!



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Dear Neal - The time passes
in many things since then -
I've started with Harold's pneumonia
& etc. - I have not been enjoying
good health & this summer I'm
set for 3 operations. Hot doggy
Day!

I appreciate all you have done
for me.

I put the money into another
qualified tax deferred annuity.

In saving all I can to avoid a nursing
home & with the future tax cuts
there may not be enough Medicare to
take care of me & I'd rather stay
in my own home.

I appreciate your time -

Have a nice summer -

With gratitude

MR. & MRS. [redacted]

DUNEDIN, FLORIDA [redacted]

September 7, 1995

Gentlemen:

In the latter part of 1993 we contacted your office concerning a possible case against Delta First Financial and Charles Givens concerning limited partnerships. The partnerships were our total IRA monies. At the time you said we had a good case but you were too busy to handle it and referred us to Mr. Neal Blaher in Orlando. You sent a letter to Neal on January 28, 1994 and he took the case.

When we finally went to arbitration, we were amazed at how well Neal was prepared. He had compiled a three inch thick notebook with many exhibits. He also had a notebook covering the various laws and cases. The arbitration lasted three days, then recessed for a month and finished on the fourth day. Throughout the whole time Neal was just great and his actions justified your referral. We did win a fair settlement, not as much as we would have liked, but we can rest knowing that we will have most of our nest egg back.

We just wanted you to know what a fine job he did for us and that as far as we are concerned you should be thanked.

Recently, we received a letter from you dated August 18 concerning Preferred Income Fund II&III. I called [redacted] and told her that III was a major part of the case that Neal had handled so well for us and, therefore, we would not need your services..

With thanks again, sincerely,

[redacted signature]

CC Mr. Neal Blaher

Dear Mr. Baker

In re: Our telephone conversation
of March 11, 1996

We wanted to express our
gratitude to you for taking
your time to hear our sad
tale, to explain to us the
legal ramifications and to
give us your suggestions
relative to the worthless
limited partnership we have
with "Mr. Dennis".

Please accept our sincere
thanks.

Clearwater Fl - 4 '30

Aug. 2, 1996

Neil J. Blaker
Hillcrest Plaza
Orlando, FL.

Dear Mr. Blaker,

Enclosed is your check
for \$235. as requested.

Kevin and I wish to
thank you for your help,
your honesty and your
kindness.

Sincerely,

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March 10, 1997

Dear Neal:

Enclosed is the final payment for your services. I want to thank you for your help. It has been a pleasure to deal with someone who has shown the thoroughness and professionalism that you have in dealing with this matter. Although the final outcome is not quite what I had hoped for in the beginning, I appreciate your work in dealing with these characters and am at last able to put this matter to rest. Thanks for filing the judgement against the company. Who knows, it may pay off in the future. Once again, thanks!

Sincerely,

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March 2, 1998

Neal J. Blaher, Esq.
P.O.Box 804
Orlando, Fl. 32802-0804

Dear Neal:

As I mail back the signed forms to you, I just wanted to take a minute to thank you for all your help with my case. Even though I know it is a relatively small case compared to most of your others, I know that you and Tom put just as much time and effort into mine. For that, I am forever grateful.

I am so relieved that one--we won the arbitration, and two--that they decided to finally pay up! I was getting a little worried there for a minute. I received the copy of the letter in which you asked them for the interest. I'm sure that annoyed them, but fair is fair. They should have paid on time.

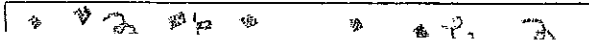
I also wanted to thank you for your kind words about my book. I almost chose not to go ahead with it, because of my loss of money, but I am so glad that I did. I really believe in the message I have to give. I have sent you a copy of my article, and one of my brochures. My article certainly gave things a boost, but I am still plugging away. I am mailing it to several groups and coalitions promoting anti-smoking. I even sent one to Oprah,-- you never know!

I will wait a few weeks and then get in touch with you concerning My
nightmare is still not over! I will listen with an open mind and with much respect, as to
what you think I should do about that situation.

Again, thank you so much Neal, for all your help and efforts. I deeply appreciate it. You and Tom certainly prove there are still good, decent, caring lawyers out there.

Sincerely,





June 23, 2000

Federal Express

Law Office of Neal J. Blaher
Hillcrest Plaza, Suite 107
1516 East Hillcrest Street
Orlando, FL 32803

Re: **Settlement Agreement - I**

Dear Neal:

As requested in your letter to me dated June 19, I forwarded the original Settlement Agreement with multiple signature pages each as executed by [redacted]. Please follow up with [redacted] to ensure that we have a final original Settlement Agreement for our files.

Lastly, I want to thank you, Neil, for all your efforts in bringing this to what I consider to be a very successful conclusion. I appreciate your professionalism throughout this matter. Best regards.

Very truly yours,

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Esq.
Vice President, General Counsel and
Assistant Secretary

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July 19, 2000

Neil J. Blaher, Esq.
Hillcrest Plaza
Suite 107
1516 E. Hillcrest Street
Orlando, FL 32803

Dear Neil:

On behalf of our law firm, thank you very much for providing our pension plan with superior representation. You were referred to our law firm by another law firm as "the lawyer" regarding stock broker arbitration trade mark, copyright and franchise law. Certainly, the results you obtained on behalf of our law firm's pension plan makes you the proverbial lawyer's lawyer.

Again, with much appreciation and gratitude on behalf of the firm, thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

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Dear Neal-

Enclosed is the check for your services in the dispute between my father's estate and American Municipal Securities.

On a personal level I want you to know of my appreciation for your professionalism and your excellent communication skills. I would not hesitate to refer other clients to you.
Thank you again.

Sincerely,

July 18, 2001

Neal J Blaher, Atty.
1516 E HILLCREST ST
Orlando, Florida 32803

Dear Mr Blaher

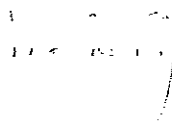
Permit me to offer sincerest thanks for your fine representation during the arbitration of my dispute with AG Edwards. Despite what had to be a trifling amount in the overall scheme of things you were extremely well prepared and had obviously taken great pains to delve into various details such as the Firm's operational manuals, etc.

I am sorry for having forced you to bring the basic issues into a proceedings but I simply could not stand by and have my constitutional rights further violated by a gag order. When the defense attorney at the end of his summary made the patronizing remark that he believed I was competent I lost my cool. After all I had to undergo six separate evaluations, by so called professionals, to bring this matter to a hearing. Thanks to your calming persuasion I was able to confine myself to the statement that I would not be denied my freedom of speech.

We now enter the waiting stage looking toward the arbitrator's decision. As I mentioned the money is not of particular concern to me since at my age and given the physical limitations, I have little opportunity to spend. Thus my desire for a fat settlement primarily focuses on proper remuneration for your efforts. If that is not forthcoming so be it.

I believe that now that this is behind me I can move along with the vow I made in July 1999 to do my utmost to see that no other citizen is subjected to the abuse heaped upon me by the County court system. You may be surprised to learn that my experiences were not that unique. The situation was best described to me by one attorney as you were one of the people who fell through the cracks. It is my intention to patch those cracks by whatever legal means are available to me.

Very Truly Yours



July 6, 2002

Neal J. Blaher, AAL
Hillcrest Plaza, Suite 107
1516 East Hillcrest Street
Orlando, FL 30803

Attorney Blaher:

Re: Your letter of 28 Jun 2002

We have no plans for early 2003. The only foreseeable conflict would be mid-to end of May when [redacted] has a 50th class reunion to attend in Pennsylvania.

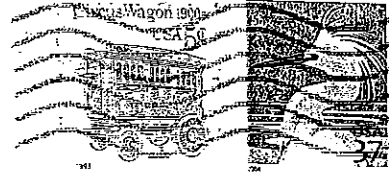
Thank you for the quarterly disbursements statement and keeping us so well informed. We appreciate your diligent and unerring professionalism.

Sincerely,

[Redacted signature]

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NEAL J. BLAHER

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P. O. BOX 3791

ORLANDO, FL 32802-3791



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DEAR NEAL BLAHER,

I AM ONCE AGAIN SPENDING MY SUMMER ON LONG ISLAND, SO YOUR LETTER OF JUNE 15TH REGARDING THE MOVE OF YOUR PRACTICE, HAS JUST FOUND ME. CONGRATULATIONS!

I SHALL BE EVER GRATEFUL TO HAVE FOUND YOU, SEVERAL YEARS AGO. ANY CHANGES YOUR MOVE MAY NECESSITATE WOULDN'T MATTER A BIT, AS LONG AS YOU DON'T CHANGE.

I WISH YOU GOOD FORTUNE AND MUCH HAPPINESS IN YOUR NEW VENTURE AND THE HEALTH TO ENJOY THEM.

FONDLY,

Hi Neal,

Mike & I just want to thank
you for all the great work that
you did on our cases. Your
professionalism and "customer service"
are superb. We appreciate your
expertise and hard work.

Thanks again

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