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Right to know law – Statute free of ambiguity - Criticisms, demotion or discharge of an employee

- 1. The Right to Know Law exists to promote access to official government information so that greater transparency will allow the public to scrutinize the actions of public officials and hold them accountable.
- 2. If a Borough believes a record is exempt, the burden is on the Borough to demonstrate the applicability of any exemption by a preponderance of the evidence.
- 3. When the words of a statute are clear and free from all ambiguity, the letter of it is not to be disregarded under the pretext of pursuing its spirit.
- 4. An exemption from the duty to disclose records relating to an agency employee if it is written criticisms of an employee or information regarding discipline, demotion or discharge contained in a personnel file; however, that exemption does not apply if it results in a demotion or discharge of the employee.
- 5. It is up to the legislature to determine if the general interest in public disclosure of events underlying a demotion or discharge should be expanded to include alleged disciplinary events that lead to a retirement or resignation.
- 6. Petitioner sought a Notice of Suspension of a Borough employee as well as a <u>Loudermill</u> letter, which would purportedly concern due process prior to termination of employment. The Court determined neither needed to be produced because neither was a demotion or discharge and the general exemption regarding discipline and written criticisms applied. Accordingly, the Court <u>Held</u> the Petition for Review of Decision Under the Right to Know Law were denied and dismissed; the determinations of the Pennsylvania Office of Open Records regarding Petitioner's RTKL Requests Nos. 1 and 2 were affirmed and the Borough of Malvern was not required to take further action in connection with either of the subject requests.

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C.C.P., Chester County, Pennsylvania, No.s 2021-06260 and 2021-07423; Danny S. Fruchter vs. Borough of Malvern

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DANNY S. FRUCHTER	IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
	CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
VS.	,
	NO. 2021-06260-CS
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	UNDER THE RIGHT TO KNOW LAW
DANNY S. FRUCHTER	IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
	CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
VS.	
	NO. 2021-07423-CS
BOROUGH OF MALVERN	
	PETITION FOR REVIEW OF DECISION
	UNDER THE RIGHT TO KNOW LAW
	(Consolidated with 2021-06260-CS)
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## ORDER

AND NOW, this 11th day of April, 2022, a Petition for Review of Decision Under the Right to Know Law (RTKL) having been filed on September 20, 2021,¹ after a hearing/argument held on February 1, 2022, and after submission of briefs and proposed findings of facts/conclusions of law, it is hereby **ORDERED** as follows:

- Petitioner's requests for relief as set forth in his Petitions for Judicial Review are 1. **DENIED** and **DISMISSED**;
- The determinations of the Pennsylvania Office of Open Records regarding 2. Petitioner's RTKL Requests Nos. 1 and 2 are AFFIRMED; and
- 3. The Borough of Malvern shall not be required to take further action in connection with either of the subject RTKL requests.

## **BY THE COURT:**

## /s/ BRET M. BINDER, J.

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The Petition was filed to 2021-07423-CS. The court consolidated 2021-07423-CS and 2021-06260-CS by order entered November 8, 2021.

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### **BACKGROUND**

Petitioner Danny Fruchter (Fruchter) submitted two separate "Requests for Information" to the Borough of Malvern (Borough) pursuant to the Pennsylvania Right-to-Know Law (RTKL), 65 P.S. § 67.101, *et. seq.* Petitioner's first request, submitted April 7, 2021, sought, inter alia, a settlement agreement titled the "Retirement Agreement and General Release" (Retirement Agreement). The Retirement Agreement involved a former employee, Sergeant Lloyd Douglas and the Borough. Exhibit P-1 (Pennsylvania Office of Open Records Certified Record – AP 2021-0850 – docket # 2021-06260-CS).²

The Borough's Open Records Officer and Borough Manager, Christopher Bashore (Bashore) provided the Retirement Agreement along with a video recording of the April 6, 2021 meeting of Borough Council. <u>Id.</u> On April 26, 2021, Fruchter promptly filed an appeal to the Pennsylvania Office of Open Records (OOR). Fruchter claimed in that appeal that two (2) other documents responsive to the RTKL Request #1 were not produced – namely the February 4, 2021 <u>Loudermill</u>³ letter and the September 30, 2020 Notice of Suspension referenced in the Retirement Agreement. <u>Id.</u> The Borough responded that Fruchter did not specifically request the two (2) documents and that they were referenced in but not part of the Retirement Agreement. <u>Id.</u> The OOR, on July 7, 2021, denied Fruchter's appeal with regard to RTKL Request #1. <u>Id.</u> Fruchter filed the instant Petition for Judicial Review on August 5, 2021.

Additionally, on July 12, 2021, Fruchter submitted a second RTKL Request (RTKL Request #2) simply requesting the September 30, 2020 Notice of Suspension and the February 4, 2021 Loudermill letter. Exhibit P-2 (OOR Certified Record AP 2021-1441 – present docket # 2021-07423-CS).⁴ The Borough responded to Fruchter on July 14, 2021, and stated that it would not produce the two (2) documents as they were exempt from disclosure pursuant to the RTKL - 65 P.S. § 67.708(b)(7) (vi),(viii). Id. Specifically, Bashore attested that the two documents consisted of information regarding discipline and that the Loudermill letter also includes criticisms of an employee. Id. Further the Borough argued that neither document constitutes a final action resulting in demotion or discharge that would eliminate the exemption to disclosure pursuant to subsection 708(b)(7)(viii). Fruchter filed an appeal to the OOR regarding RTKL Request #2. Id. On August 25, 2021, the OOR issued its final determination and upheld the determination of the Borough that the two (2) documents in question were exempt from production. Id. On September 20, 2021, Fruchter filed his second Petition for Judicial Review, originally docketed to 2021-07423-CS asking for review of this decision.

⁴ The OOR filed the certified record for AP 2021-1441 on or about November 30, 2021 and the parties stipulated to its admission as Exhibit P-2.

² The OOR filed the certified record for AP 2021-0850 on or about September 7, 2021 and the parties stipulated to its admission as Exhibit P-1.

³ So called for the decision in <u>Cleveland Board of Education v. Loudermill</u>, 470 U.S. 532 (1985) (holding that public employees have a right to due process prior to termination of employment).

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The parties agreed at the hearing/argument that the documents requested, in a vacuum, are exempt from production pursuant to the RTKL. The parties further agreed that the distilled issues before this court are whether or not the <u>Loudermill</u> letter and the Notice of Suspension should have been produced because: (1) they were part of what constituted an effective discharge or termination of Sergeant Douglas; and/or (2) the reference to both documents in the Retirement Agreement make them appropriate for disclosure.

## **RIGHT TO KNOW LAW**

The RTKL exists to promote access to official government information so that greater transparency will allow the public to scrutinize the actions of public officials and hold them accountable. <u>See Bowling v. Office of Open Records</u>, 990 A.2d 813, 824 (Pa.Cmwlth. 2010), <u>affirmed</u>, 75 A.3d 453 (Pa. 2013). There is no dispute that the Borough is a local agency pursuant to 65 P.S. § 67.302 and has an obligation to disclose public records generally.

Pursuant to 65 P.S. § 67.708(a), if the Borough believes a record is exempt, the burden is on the Borough to demonstrate the applicability of any exemption by a preponderance of the evidence. As noted above, Petitioner agrees that the two (2) documents in the case *sub judice* are exempt generally but argues that the exemption is lost due to the specific circumstances of the actions taken with Sergeant Douglas and the incorporation of them into the Retirement Agreement.

In the certified record for RTKL #1, the parties agree that the Borough produced the entire Retirement Agreement at issue. Ex. P-1.⁵ Moreover, that agreement states that it is the entire agreement between the Borough and Sergeant Douglas. Petitioner argues that the Retirement Agreement is, in essence, a final action resulting in discharge and thus the referenced documents within the Retirement Agreement – namely the Loudermill letter and Notice of Suspension – lose the exemption from the requirement to produce.

This court starts by examining the plain language of the statute "to ascertain and effectuate the intention of the General Assembly." 1 Pa.C.S. § 1921(a). "When the words of a statute are clear and free from all ambiguity, the letter of it is not to be disregarded under the pretext of pursuing its spirit." 1 Pa.C.S. § 1921(b). <u>See also</u> <u>School Dist. of Philadelphia v. W.C.A.B. (Hilton)</u>, 117 A.3d 232, 242 (Pa. 2015) (citing same).

Presently, the plain language of the exemption at issue provides for an exemption from the duty to disclose records relating to an agency employee if it is "[i]nformation regarding discipline, demotion or discharge contained in a personnel file." 65 P.S. § 67.708(b)(7)(viii). However, that exemption does not apply if it results in a discharge

⁵ The parties simplified and consolidated the underlying issues regarding the records requested in RTKL Requests #1 and #2 and the arguments related to those records at oral argument. This court could dismiss and deny the petition regarding RTKL request #1 as the request itself was for the Retirement Agreement, which was produced in its entirety. However, in the interests of addressing the substance of the consolidated matters, the two petitions and underlying arguments are being addressed jointly.

of the employee. "This subparagraph shall not apply to the final action of an agency that results in demotion or discharge." <u>Id.</u> Subsection 708(b)(7)(vi) provides an additional exemption for "[w]ritten criticisms of an employee."

Petitioner argues that the Retirement Agreement was entered into in lieu of a discharge of Sergeant Douglas and that this effectively renders the Retirement Agreement a discharge. This court is unpersuaded. If the legislature chose, it could have written subsection 708(b)(7)(viii) to provide that the exception would not apply in the event of demotion, discharge, or "retirement or other termination of employment in lieu of demotion or discharge." Such language is absent and this court will not second guess the plain language or insert its own. It is up to the legislature to determine if the general interest in public disclosure of events underlying a demotion or discharge should be expanded to include alleged disciplinary events that lead to a retirement or resignation as well as to weigh the competing public interest of an incentive for government agencies and employees to amicably resolve potential employment issues with an agreement that will protect the personnel records of an employee. Moreover, a slippery slope would be created by Petitioner's request to expand the plain language as questions may arise whether a transfer, quitting, or the like may constitute a 'discharge' under an expanded definition.

Accordingly, this court rejects the argument of Petitioner that the <u>Loudermill</u> letter and Notice of Suspension are to be produced because they individually are not a "demotion or discharge" nor is the Retirement Agreement a "demotion or discharge." The general exemption from production regarding discipline in a personnel file applies and written criticisms of an employee apply. Subsections 708(b)(7)(vi),(viii).

Petitioner additionally argues that this court should find that the exception is lost because references to the Loudermill letter and Notice of Suspension are in the Retirement Agreement and they are thus a necessary part of the background to and understanding of that agreement. The Borough has produced the entire Retirement Agreement. The Loudermill letter and Notice of Suspension were not attached to that agreement but merely referenced. However, even if the two documents were attached to the agreement they need not be produced. In Global Tel*link Corporation v. Wright, 147 A.3d 978 (Pa.Cmwlth. 2016), the Commonwealth Court held that a financial record that was exempted from production did not lose that exemption because it was attached to an otherwise disclosable contract between an agency and contractor. "Here, a document, which is otherwise exempt under section 708(b)(26) of the RTKL because it contains a bidder's financial information, is not transformed into a financial record not subject to the 708(b)(26) exemption simply because it is appended to the successful bidder's contract." Id. at 981. See also West Chester University of Pennsylvania v. Schackner, 124 A.3d 382, 392 (Pa.Cmwlth 2015) ("[W]e disagree with the OOR that information regarding a legislative strategy must be disclosed just because it is part of the contract[.]").

Even if the <u>Loudermill</u> Letter and Notice of Suspension were expressly incorporated in the Retirement Agreement, pursuant to <u>Global Tel*link</u> and <u>Schackner</u>, the documents would not lose their exemption as personnel records pursuant to subsection 708(b)(7)(viii) or as written criticism of an employee pursuant to subsection

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## 708(b)(7)(vi).

This reasoning is bolstered by the reasoning of the Commonwealth Court in Silver v. Borough of Wilkinsburg, 58 A.3d 125 (Pa.Cmwlth. 2012), appeal denied, 76 A.3d 540 (Pa. 2013). In Silver, the Commonwealth Court analyzed whether or not the entire employment termination letter constituted a final action for the exception from the general exemption in subsection 708(b)(7)(viii) or whether certain information relating to pre-termination employee discipline was still exempt from production and could be redacted. The Silver Court noted that "final action" is not defined by the RTKL. Silver, 58 A.3d at 127. "Clearly, the agency's 'final action' was the employment termination, and the employment termination letter was the 'record' of said employment termination." Id. at 128. The Silver Court ultimately held that "[t]he RTKL, without exception, exempts from disclosure '[w]ritten criticisms of an employee." Id. at fn. 4 (citing subsection 708(b)(7)(vi)). "It also exempts from production discipline contained in a personnel file.^[6] The exception to the latter does not authorize disclosure of disciplinary action which 'may have been gleaned from a 'personnel file,' once it was placed in the [employment termination letter]." Id. (holding of the majority with quotes from the dissenting opinion). The Silver Court went on to hold that the entire termination letter need not be produced because: (1) the Legislature used the words final action instead of demotion/employment termination letter; (2) to hold otherwise would undermine the protections the Legislature mandated for disciplinary actions or written criticism just because it was referenced in a demotion/termination letter; and (3) to hold otherwise would be to violate the requirement to the express language of the statute. Id.

Accordingly, pursuant to <u>Silver</u>, even if this court were to treat the Retirement Agreement as a termination letter and final action, which it is not,⁷ any references or incorporation to pre-termination discipline is still exempt from production.

Given that the records at issue are exempt generally as agreed to by the parties pursuant to subsections 708(b)(7)(vi),(viii) and for the reasons stated above the records were properly withheld as exempt, no exception to that exemption applies, and the petitions are denied and dismissed.

⁶ Presumably referencing subsection 708(b)(7)(viii).

⁷ The Borough argues that the final action was the vote at a public meeting by Borough Council approving the Retirement Agreement that constitutes a final action in this matter. Such reasoning appears consistent with <u>Silver</u>; however, it need not be reached by this court today given the above analysis.

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#### CLERK OF THE ORPHANS' COURT DIVISION OF THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA **NOTICE OF FILING ACCOUNTS** ACCOUNTS LISTED FOR AUDIT ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2022 Courtroom 7 at 9:00 A.M. PREVAILING TIME

#### THE HONORABLE KATHERINE B. L. PLATT

Notice is hereby given to all parties interested, that accounts in the following matters have been filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Orphans' Court Division of the Court of Common Pleas of Chester County, Pennsylvania for AUDIT, CONFIRMATION AND DISTRIBUTION at the above date, time and place. At that time and place interested parties, claimants and objectors to the same will be heard.

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FIRST AND FINAL ACCOUNT OF: LYNDA A. YELENOVSKY, EXECUTOR

ATTORNEY(S): SEAMUS M. LAVIN, ESQUIRE

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FIRST AND FINAL ACCOUNT OF: WILLIAM J. DECKMAN JR, EXECUTOR

ATTORNEY(S): NANCY WORTH PINE, ESQUIRE

#### ESTATE OF EUGENE R. MYERS, DECEASED

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#### ESTATE OF FREDERICK A. DUFFY, DECEASED

FIRST & INTERIM ACCOUNT OF KATHLEEN WISE, CO-TRUSTEE AND KEVIN GAL BRAITH, CO-TRUSTEE...FOR THE KATHLEEN WISE GST-EXEMPT MARITAL TRUST UNDER WILL OF FREDERICK A. DUFFY DATED NOVEMBER 24, 1992

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#### LAW NO. 2022-06944-NC

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the name change petition of Harold Lee Wiggins II was filed in the above-named court and will be heard on Monday, December 5, 2022 at 2:00 PM, in Courtroom 18 at the Chester County Justice Center, 201 West Market Street, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

Date of filing the Petition: Friday, September 9, 2022

Name to be changed from: Harold Lee Wiggins II to: Joseph Lee Wiggins

Any person interested may appear and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

#### CORPORATION NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Articles of Incorporation were filed with and approved by the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on the Wednesday, August 10, 2022 for Recreational Adventures Co. in accordance with the provisions of the Pennsylvania Business Corporation Law of 1988. The purpose or purposes for which it was organized are: Camping and outdoor recreation

#### CORPORATION NOTICE

#### J LARKIN AUTOMOTIVE INC

Has been incorporated under the provisions of the Pennsylvania Business Corporation Law of 1988.

#### CORPORATION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Articles of Incorporation were filed with the Dept. of State for RENEHAN DEVELOPMENT INC., a corporation organized under the PA Business Corp. Law of 1988. LENTZ, CANTOR & MASSEY, LTD., Solicitors, 460 E. King Rd., Malvern, PA 19355-3049

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**ASPEN**, Joyce Ann, late of West Chester Borough. Maurice L. Friedman, care of NEIL W. HEAD, Esquire, 218 West Miner Street, West Chester, PA 19382, Executor. NEIL W. HEAD, Esquire, Klein, Head, Barnes & Wood, LLP, 218 West Miner Street, West Chester, PA 19382, atty.

**BRENNER**, Joanne T., late of West Goshen Township. James W. Brenner, care of ANDREW J. BELLWOAR, Esquire, 126 West Miner Street, West Chester, PA 19382, Executor. ANDREW J. BELL-WOAR, Esquire, Bellwoar Kelly LLP, 126 West Miner Street, West Chester, PA 19382, atty.

CARL, Theodore L., late of East Coventry Township. Diane M. Carl, 47 Halteman Rd., Pottstown, PA 19465, Executrix. JOSEPH K. KOURY, Esquire, OWM Law, 41 E. High St., Pottstown, PA 19464, atty.

**CHARLES, JR.**, John C., a/k/a John Charles, late of South Coventry Township. Kristan Scofield, care of GREGORY PHILIPS, Esquire, 1129 E. High Street, P.O. Box 776, Pottstown, PA 19464, Administrator. GREGORY PHILIPS, Esquire, YDASP, 1129 E. High Street, P.O. Box 776, Pottstown, PA 19464, atty.

CLANCY, Kenneth P., late of West Goshen Township. Jeanne Marie Clancy, care of JEREMY A. WECHSLER, Esquire, 1040 Stony Hill Rd., Ste. 150, Yardley, PA 19067, Executrix. JEREMY A. WECHSLER, Esquire, Curtin & Heefner LLP, 1040 Stony Hill Rd., Ste. 150, Yardley, PA 19067, atty.

CLEMENT, Rebecca S., a/k/a Rebecca Sophia Clement, late of Kennett Square Borough. Anne E. Deffenderfer, care of KARA A. KLAIBER, Esquire, 80 W. Lancaster Ave., 4th Fl., Devon, PA 19333-1331, Executrix. KARA A. KLAIBER, Esquire, Mc-Causland Keen + Buckman, 80 W. Lancaster Ave., 4th Fl., Devon, PA 19333-1331, atty.

**CONNELL**, Marjorie S., late of West Brandywine Township. Sue Shaw, 1435 Elverson Road, Elverson, PA 19520 & Patricia Flynn, 115 Spruce Street, Pleasant Gap, PA 16823, Executors. KATH-LEEN K. GOOD, Esquire, Keen Keen & Good, LLC, 3460 Lincoln Highway, Thorndale, PA 19372, atty. **COOPERMAN**, Esther Leeds, late of Pennsbury Township. Morris L. Cooperman, Emily T. Cooperman and Hannah B. C. Bray, care of WILLIAM L. LANDSBURG, Esquire, Blue Bell Executive Campus, 460 Norristown Rd., Ste. 110, Blue Bell, PA 19422-2323, Executors. WILLIAM L. LANDS-BURG, Esquire, Wisler Pearlstine, LLP, Blue Bell Executive Campus, 460 Norristown Rd., Ste. 110, Blue Bell, PA 19422-2323, atty.

KURING, Hans Georg, a/k/a Hans G. Kuring, late of Coatesville. Michael Hans Kuring, 200 Bradford Drive, Schwenksville, PA 19473, Executor. KEN-NETH C. MYERS, Esquire, 534 Elm Street, Reading, PA 19601, atty.

MAIESE, Michael R., late of Easttown Township. Nicholas J. Caniglia, 125 Strafford Ave., Ste. 110, P.O. Box 312, Wayne, PA 19087, Executor. NICH-OLAS J. CANIGLIA, Esquire, Pierce, Caniglia & Taylor, 125 Strafford Ave., Suite 110, P.O. Box 312, Wayne, PA 19087, atty.

**MORAN, JR.**, Daniel J., a/k/a Daniel John Moran, Jr., late of West Chester Borough. Mary F. Clementi, care of MARITA MALLOY HUTCHINSON, Esquire, 122 S. Church St., West Chester, PA 19382, Executrix. MARITA MALLOY HUTCHINSON, Esquire, Wetzel Gagliardi Fetter & Lavin LLC, 122 S. Church St., West Chester, PA 19382, atty.

**MOSTELLER**, Robert W., late of Spring City Borough. Todd A. Mosteller, care of PETER J. MOAK, Esquire, 360 West Main Street, Trappe, PA 19426, Executor. PETER J. MOAK, Esquire, King Laird, P.C., 360 West Main Street, Trappe, PA 19426, atty.

**PALLADINO**, Mark J., late of Westtown Township. Carol A. Freed, care of WILLIAM B. COOPER, III, Esquire, P.O. Box 673, Exton, PA 19341, Administratrix. WILLIAM B. COOPER, III, Esquire, Fox Rothschild LLP, P.O. Box 673, Exton, PA 19341, atty.

**PEDERSEN**, Christian H., late of West Grove Borough. Erik H. Pedersen, 345 Diamond Rock Road, Malvern, PA 19355, Executor. KENNETH E. PICARDI, Esquire, Yergey.Daylor.Allebach.Scheffey.Picardi, 1129 E. High Street, P.O. Box 776, Pottstown, PA 19464, atty.

**PEIRSON**, Doris C., late of Thorndale. Barbara Carter, care of KEVIN J. RYAN, Esquire, 220 West Gay Street, West Chester, PA 19380, Executrix. KEVIN J. RYAN, Esquire, RMI Law, 220 West Gay Street, West Chester, PA 19380, atty.

**REEVES**, Ella May, a/k/a Ella M. Reeves, late of West Bradford Township. Linda L. Harpel, 18

King Street, Downingtown, PA 19335, Executrix. JOHN H. KIEFEL, Esquire, Law Office of John H. Kiefel, 721 East Lancaster Avenue, Downingtown, PA 19335, atty.

**SCHREIBER**, Donald K., late of West Brandywine Township. Amy Schreiber Druce, 338 Glenbrook Way, Chalfont, PA 18914, Executor.

SHANAHAN, John Rush, late of Wallingford Township. Stephen Rush Shanahan & Antonia Shanahan, care of RYAN M. BORNSTEIN, Esquire, 800 Lancaster Avenue, Suite T-2, Berwyn, PA 19312, Administrators. RYAN M. BORNSTEIN, Esquire, Harvey Ballard and Bornstein, LLC, 800 Lancaster Avenue, Suite T-2, Berwyn, PA 19312, atty.

WILLIAMS, Richard T., late of Easttown Township. Andrea C. Williams Pettibone, care of MI-CHAEL C. MCBRATNIE, Esquire, P.O. Box 673, Exton, PA 19341, Executrix. MICHAEL C. MC-BRATNIE, Esquire, Fox Rothschild LLP, P.O. Box 673, Exton, PA 19341, atty.

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ALLEN, Ronald G., late of Malvern. Richard S. Downs, care of DAVID M. FREES, III, Esquire, 120 Gay Street, P.O. Box 289, Phoenixville, PA 19460, Executor. DAVID M. FREES, III, Esquire, Unruh, Turner, Burke, & Frees, P.C., 120 Gay Street, P.O. Box 289, Phoenixville, PA 19460, atty.

**ANTONINI**, Ottavio D., late of Wayne. Richard Antonini, 241 Virginia Ave, Phoenixville, PA 19460, Executor.

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**BATCHER**, Steven M., late of West Goshen Township. Dayna Butler, care of DENISE M. AN-TONELLI, Esquire, 17 E. Gay Street, Suite 100, West Chester, PA 19380, Executor. DENISE M. ANTON-ELLI, Esquire, Gawthrop Greenwood, PC, 17 E. Gay Street, Suite 100, West Chester, PA 19380, atty.

**BILLINGS**, Jane R., a/k/a Rosemary Jane Billings, late of Uwchlan Township. Immaculata Gallagher Adams and William H. Yost, Jr., care of JO-SEPH A. BELLINGHIERI, Esquire, 17 W. Miner St., West Chester, PA 19382, Executors. JOSEPH A. BELLINGHIERI, Esquire, MacElree Harvey, LTD., 17 W. Miner St., West Chester, PA 19382, atty.

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**COSGROVE**, John E., late of West Chester. Dan Cosgrove & John Cosgrove, Jr., care of KEVIN J. RYAN, Esquire, 220 West Gay Street, West Chester, PA 19380, Executor. KEVIN J. RYAN, Esquire, RMI Law, 220 West Gay Street, West Chester, PA 19380, atty.

**DREWES**, June H., late of East Goshen Township. W. Christian Drewes, care of ANDREW H. DOHAN, Esquire, 460 E. King Road, Malvern, PA 19355-3049, Executor. ANDREW H. DOHAN, Esquire, Lentz, Cantor & Massey, LTD., 460 E. King Road, Malvern, PA 19355-3049, atty.

**FRAZIER**, Terras A., late of Coatesville. Anthony Frazier, Jr., care of JENNIFER ABRACHT, Esquire, 610 Millers Hill, P.O. Box 96, Kennett Square, PA 19348, Administrator. JENNIFER ABRACHT, Esquire, Perna & Abracht, LLC, 610 Millers Hill, P.O. Box 96, Kennett Square, PA 19348, atty.

HARRIS, Betty Mae Wright, a/k/a Betty Harris and Betty Mae Harris, late of South Coatesville Borough. Kimberly Smith, care of APRIL L. CHARLESTON, Esquire, 60 W. Boot Rd., Ste. 201, West Chester, PA 19380, Administratrix. APRIL L. CHARLESTON, Esquire, The Charleston Firm, 60 W. Boot Rd., Ste. 201, West Chester, PA 19380, atty.

LAMBERT, Raymond H., a/k/a Raymond Henry

Lambert, late of Tredyffrin Township. Amy J. Lambert, care of JOSEPH A. BELLINGHIERI, Esquire, 17 W. Miner St., West Chester, PA 19382, Executrix. JOSEPH A. BELLINGHIERI, Esquire, MacElree Harvey, LTD., 17 W. Miner St., West Chester, PA 19382, atty.

MATTSON, Billie Ruth, a/k/a Billie R. Mattson & Billie Mattson, late of New London Township. Patricia A Barker, 176 Sunnyside Rd., West Grove, PA 19390, Executrix.

McCABE, Chester Charles, a/k/a Chester C. Mc-Cabe, late of Penn Township. Schuyler Mohr Mc-Cabe, 450 Dolly Dr., Lancaster, PA 17601, Executor. ANITA M. D'AMICO, Esquire, D'Amico Law, P.C., 65 S. Third Street, Oxford, PA 19363, atty.

McGRANAHAN, Pearl K., late of Tredyffrin Township. Hugh J. McGranahan, care of ERIC C. FREY, Esquire, 105 E. Phila. Ave., Boyertown, PA 19512, Executor. ERIC C. FREY, Esquire, E. Kenneth Nyce Law Office, LLC, 105 E. Phila. Ave., Boyertown, PA 19512, atty.

MIXSON, JR., Howard M., late of Spring City Borough. Evelene Mixson, care of VINCENT CAROSELLA, JR., Esquire, 882 South Matlack Street, Suite 101, West Chester, PA 19382-4505, Administratrix. VINCENT CAROSELLA, JR., Esquire, Carosella & Associates P.C., 882 South Matlack Street, Suite 101, West Chester, PA 19382-4505, atty.

MORAN, Eileen M., late of East Goshen Township. Eileen Prilutski, care of EMILY TEMPLE ABELS, Esquire, P.O. Box 384, Kennett Square, PA 19348, Executrix. EMILY TEMPLE ABELS, Esquire, Larmore Scarlett LLP, P.O. Box 384, Kennett Square, PA 19348, atty.

MULLIN, Thomas E., late of London Grove. Christopher J. Mullin, care of MICHAEL R. PER-NA, Esquire, 610 Millers Hill, P.O. Box 96, Kennett Square, PA 19348, Executor. MICHAEL R. PERNA, Esquire, Perna & Abracht, LLC, 610 Millers Hill, P.O. Box 96, Kennett Square, PA 19348, atty.

PARANO, Karen Rose, a/k/a a/k/a Karen R. Parano, late of Tredyffrin Township. Michelle K. Greek, 300 Messina Avenue, Nesquehoning, PA 18240, Executrix. JENNY Y.C. CHENG, Esquire, Cheng Law Offices, P.C., 430 Delaware Avenue, P.O. Box 195, Palmerton, PA 18071, atty.

**PERLMAN**, Myrna, late of Kennett Square. Ellen Finkelman, 16 Anthony Dr., Bedford, MA 01730, Executrix. RICHARD N. LIPOW, Esquire, Lipow Law Office, 629 Swedesford Rd, Swedesford Corporate Center, Malvern, PA 19355, atty. **PETERS**, Jean M., late of East Pikeland Township. Karen Crandall Peters, care of L. PETER TEMPLE, Esquire, P.O. Box 384, Kennett Square, PA 19348, Executrix. L. PETER TEMPLE, Esquire, Larmore Scarlett LLP, P.O. Box 384, Kennett Square, PA 19348, atty.

**PIERSON**, Robert W., late of Elk Township. Kathy Sue Pierson & Kristine Alice Riley, care of WINIFRED MORAN SEBASTIAN, Esquire, P.O. Box 381, Oxford, PA 19363, Executors. WINIFRED MORAN SEBASTIAN, Esquire, Lamb McErlane, PC, P.O. Box 381, Oxford, PA 19363, atty.

SAKS, Andrew James, a/k/a Andrew J. Saks, late of Caln Township. Jason Saks, 1015 Iron Works Rd., Phoenixville, PA 19460, Administrator. REBECCA A. HOBBS, Esquire, OWM Law, 41 E. High St., Pottstown, PA 19464, atty.

**SCHREIBER**, Donald K., late of Brandywine Township. Amy Schreiber Druce, 338 Glennbrook Way, Chalfont, PA 18914, Executrix.

SMITH, Joyce S., late of Kennett Township. Margaret G. Smith & Peter A. Smith, M.D., care of L. PETER TEMPLE, Esquire, P.O. Box 384, Kennett Square, PA 19348, Executors. L. PETER TEMPLE, Esquire, Larmore Scarlett LLP, P.O. Box 384, Kennett Square, PA 19348, atty.

**SPERA**, Elizabeth R., late of West Chester. Lisa R. Spera, 727 Willowdale Lane, Kennett Square, PA 19348, Executrix.

**STEEN**, Albert F., late of City of Coatesville. Ronald Shindle, 757 Madison Street, Coatesville, PA 19320, Executor. KATHLEEN K. GOOD, Esquire, Keen Keen & Good, LLC, 3460 Lincoln Highway, Thorndale, PA 19372, atty.

VASKYS, Valentina, late of Wayne. Thomas V. Traun, 996 Mt. Pleasant Ave, Wayne, PA 19087, Administrator.

WADDELL, Janet H., a/k/a Janet Holmes Waddell, late of Kennett Township. Ann Waddell Miller, 3020 Tilden Street N.W., Apt. #301, Washington, DC 20008, Executor. WILLIAM J. MARTIN, Esquire, Martin & Lunger, P.A., 1020 N. Bancroft Parkway, Suite 100, Wilmington, DE 19805, atty. No. 38

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#### NOTICE

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CHES-TER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA CIVIL ACTION - LAW

BENJAMIN L. FUERTSCH	:	No.:2022-00958-TT
Plaintiff,	:	
V.	:	
JEFFREY RAMSEY	:	
Defendant.	:	Jury Trial Demanded

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To the Defendants Unknown Heirs, Successors, Assigns and All Persons, Firms or Associations Claiming Right, Title or Interest from or under Haydee Rivera, deceased: TAKE NOTICE THAT THE Plaintiff, Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC has filed an action Mortgage Foreclosure, as captioned above.

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#### TRUST NOTICE

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#### NOTICE

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CHES-TER COUNTY, PA DOCKET NO. 2022-04666-RC PETITION OF THE BOARD OF SCHOOL DI-RECTORS OF PHOENIXVILLE AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE SALE OF REAL PROPERTY NOTICE OF HEARING ON THE PETITION OF THE BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS OF PHOENIXVILLE AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

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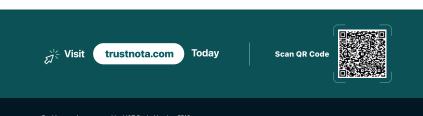
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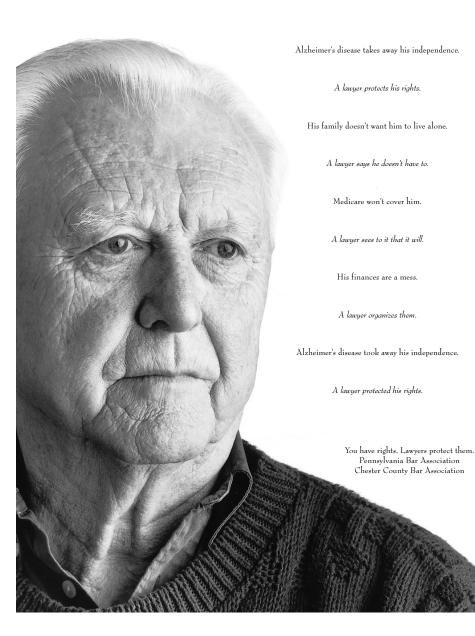


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