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| 2 | A. Yes. | , |
| 3 | Q. Let's start with the nursing assistant | |
| 4 | category. | |
| 5 | Can you tell me all the places that you | |
| 6 | can remember working as a nursing assistant, please? | Y |
| 7 | A. Ocoee Health Care Center. That may not be | 2 |
| 8 | the complete, correct name. | e e |
| 9 | Q. When did you work at Ocoee Medical Center? | * 8 |
| 10 | A. '02 through '03. | |
| 11 | Q. After Ocoee Medical Center, where else did | |
| 12 | you work as a medical assistant? | |
| 13 | A. Chief Rehab. | |
| 14 | Q. What years? | |
| 15 | A. I believe that was in 8/03 through 2/03. | |
| 16 | Q. Do you mean 8/03 to 2/04? | |
| 17 | A. '04, I'm sorry. | |
| 18 | Q. Anywhere else where you worked as a | |
| 19 | nursing assistant? | |
| 20- | A. Park Manor Rehab. | |
| 21 | Q. What years did you work at Park Manor | |
| 22 | Rehab? | |
| 23 | A. I think I worked there for several months. | |
| 24 | It was in '04, I believe. | |
| 25 | Q. Anywhere else as a nursing assistant? | 1 |
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| 2 | A. No, that's it. | . × |
| 3 | Q. Let's go to the LPN category. | · 1 |
| 4 | Where have you worked as an LPN? | |
| 5 | A. Kings Harbor Multi Care Center. | |
| 6 | Q. What years did you work at Kings Harbo | r? |
| 7 | A. I believe I graduated in '04, or was it | t |
| 8 | '05? I think it was '05. | |
| 9 | Q. When you say "graduate" | |
| 10 | A. I mean from BOCES, the summer of '05. | |
| 11 | Q. Where else have you worked as an LPN? | |
| 12 | A. I have worked at in I really don't | |
| 13 | remember the place. | |
| 14 | It's another facility in Georgia. I kn | OW |
| 15 | the name is Woodbury, but I don't remember the re | st |
| 16 | of it. | |
| 17 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: I'll leave a blank in | |
| 18 | the transcript, and if you remember, you can | i i |
| 19 | fill it in. Okay? | |
| 20 | INSERT | |
| 21 | MR. BERNSTEIN: Speaking of which I | |
| 22 | don't mean to interrupt you we would like | to |
| 23 | read and sign the transcript. | |
| 24 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: That's fine. | |
| 25 | Q. I'll call it the Woodbury facility, okay | /? |
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| 2 | i air | _ | That's in Georgia? | |
| 3 | | Α. | That's in Georgia. | |
| 4 | 2 22 11 | Q. | Were you an LPN there? | |
| - 5 | | Α. | Yes. | |
| 6 | | Q. | What years? | |
| 7 | | A. | I just worked there for three weeks I | |
| .8 | belie | eve o | r four weeks. | • |
| 9 | * 41 | Q. | Where else as an LPN? | |
| 10 | | A. | I worked here in New York with Harry's | |
| 11 | Nurse | es Re | gistry. | |
| 12 | | Q. | Do you remember the dates that you work | |
| 13 | for F | Harry | 's? | |
| 14 | | Α. | I think it was from February through the | |
| 15 | date | when | he got served with the petition, when he | |
| 16 | told | his | employees not to hire me anymore, not to | |
| 17 | give | me a | ny more jobs. | |
| 18 | | Q. | So it's February of '07? | |
| 19 | | А. | Yes, through November of '07. | |
| 20 | | Q. | Anywhere else as an LPN? | ć |
| 21 | | Α. | I just work right now with another agency. | |
| 22 | | ġ. | What is the name of that agency? | |
| 23 | | Α. | White Glove. | |
| 24 | | Q. | What dates have you worked with White | |
| 25 | Glov | | | |
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| 2 | A. I have worked with White Glove on and off | er. |
| 3 | since September of 2006. | |
| 4 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: Let the record reflect | |
| 5 | that the witness has conferred with her | |
| 6 | counsel. | |
| 7 | (Defendants' Exhibit D-1, resume, was | |
| 8 | marked for identification as of this date.) | in the |
| - 9 | Q. Ms. Gayle, I show you a document that's | |
| 10 | been marked as Exhibit D-1. | TV. |
| 11 | I'm going to ask you to take a look at | |
| 12 | that and then I'm going to ask you some questions | |
| 13 | about it. | 2 |
| 14 | A. I completely forget about Kenneth. | 2 2 2 |
| 15 | Q. I'm sorry. I didn't catch what you said. | * |
| 16 | A. I was just verbalizing my thoughts. | |
| 17 | Q. Can you tell me what you said? | , . |
| 18 | A. I was saying that I completely forgot that | 4 |
| 19 | I worked as an realtor. | 4. 4 |
| 20 | Q. Is this your resume? | a a |
| 21 | A. Yes, it is. | 7 |
| 22 | Q. Is this your most current resume? | |
| 23 | A. I would say it's not updated. | 2 2 |
| 24 | Q. Have you updated this resume at any time | |
| 25 | I'll note that at the top, at "employment" it | |
| 25 | 1 11 Moto that at the top, at the programme 10 | |

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| _2 | says, "8/05 to the present, Kings Harbor Multicare | |
| 3 | Center." | |
| 4 | Do you see that? | |
| 5 | A. Yes, sir. | |
| 6 | Q. Do you have any updated resumes that | |
| 7 | reflect employment after Kings Harbor? | |
| 8 | A. No, sir. | |
| 9 | Q. I'd like you to take a look at the | |
| 10 | employment that's listed here and tell me if there | |
| 11 | is anything on the resume withdrawn. | |
| 12 | Can you tell me if there are any employers | |
| 13 | or places that you've worked that are not reflected | |
| 14 | on the resume? | , -4 |
| 15 | A. Kenneth Moxey Realty. I honestly forgot | , |
| 16 | about that one. | i i |
| 17 | Q. Kenneth Moxley Realty? | |
| 18 | A. Kenneth Moxey Realty, Inc. | |
| 19 | MR. BERNSTEIN: I think you may have | |
| 20 | misunderstood the question. | |
| 21 | The question is did you have any jobs that | |
| 22 | aren't listed on this resume. | |
| 23 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: Thank you. | |
| 24 | THE WITNESS: Okay, I'm sorry. | - |
| 25 | A. No. | , 4 |
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| 1 | GAYLE | |
| 2 | Q. Well, this resume doesn't reflect, for | |
| 3 | example, Harry's Nurses or White Glove Agency, | |
| 4 | correct? | |
| 5 | A. Correct. | |
| 6 | Q. What I'm asking is, obviously it doesn't | , |
| 7 | reflect Harry's Nurses or White Glove. Are there | |
| 8 | any employers that you've had up to the present that | |
| 9 | are not reflected by this resume? | 6 |
| 10 | A. No, not that I can remember. | |
| 11 | Q. Let's start with the Ocoee Health Care | |
| 12 | Center. Do you see that on the resume, 8/02 to | |
| 13 | 6/0,3? | - 1 |
| 14 | A. Mm-hm. | |
| 15 | Q. Yes? | |
| 16 | A. Yes. | |
| 17 | Q. Can you tell me exactly what you did | |
| 18 | there, please? | |
| 19 | A. It is specified on the resume. | |
| 20 | Q. That you were a certified nursing | |
| 21 | assistant? | |
| 22 | A. Yes. | |
| 23 | Q. How were you paid by Ocoee Health Care | |
| 24 | Center? | Les |
| 25 | MR. BERNSTEIN: Objection. You can | |
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| 1 | GAYLE | 22 |
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| 2 | answer. | |
| 3 | A. As an employee. | |
| 4 | Q. With a W-2? | |
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| 6 | A. With a W-2. | e |
| 7 | Q. Have you produced that W-2 in connection | |
| | with this action? | |
| 8 | A. I don't know if I have because it's been a | |
| 9 | while. I'm not exactly sure what I've given to Mr. | |
| 10 | Bernstein. | |
| 11 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: We've called for the | • |
| 12 | production of all the W-2s and 1099s to the | |
| 13 | extent that they exist. | |
| 14 | I am going to reiterate, for the record, | * 2 |
| 15 | my request for those documents. | |
| 16 | MR. BERNSTEIN: I'll take it under | * |
| 17 | advisement. | |
| 18 | Q. Let's go to the next one up from that, the | - |
| 19 | Achieve Rehab and Nursing Facility. | - |
| 20 | A. Mm-hm. | |
| 21 | Q. You were a certified nursing assistant | |
| 22 | there, as well? | |
| 23 | A. Yes. | |
| 24 | Q. How were you paid, on a 1099 or on a W-2? | ð |
| 25 | A. W-2. | |
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| | 1 | GAYLE | 23 |
| | 2 | Q. Have you produced those W-2s? | |
| | 3 | A. I am not exactly sure what I have | × . |
| | 4 | produced. | |
| | 5 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: I call for the | , |
| | 6 | production of those W-2s. | |
| | . 7 | MR. BERNSTEIN: I will take it under | |
| | 8 | advisement. | |
| | 9 | Q. The next one, Park Manor Rehabilitation | |
| | 10 | Center, were you a certified nursing assistant | |
| | 11 | there, as well, correct? | |
| | 12 | A. Yes. | |
| | 13 | Q. Were you paid on a 1099 or on a W-2? | |
| | 14 | A. W-2. | |
| | 15 | Q. King Harbor Multicare Center, that is the | |
| | 16 · | first place that you worked as an LPN; is that | |
| | 17 | correct? | |
| | 18 | A. That is correct. | |
| | 19 | Q. Were you paid with a W-2 or with a 1099 at | |
| 2 | 20 | Kings Harbor? | |
| 2 | 21 | A. W-2. | |
| 2 | 22 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: I call for the | |
| 2 | 23 | production of those W-2s. | |
| 2 | 24 | Q. You had mentioned a Woodbury facility in | |
| 2 | 25 | Georgia. | |
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| 2 | That's not on this resume, correct? | |
| 3 | A. Correct. | |
| 4 | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | |
| | Q. Did you work as an LPN there? | |
| 5 | A. Yes, sir. | |
| 6 | Q. Were you paid on a 1099 or with a W-2? | |
| 7 | A. W-2. | |
| 8 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: I call for the | |
| 9 | production of those W-2s. | |
| 10 | Q. Harry's Nurses is not reflected on here | |
| 11 | either, correct? | |
| 12 | A. Correct. | 1 |
| 13 | Q. Were you paid on a 1099 or with a W-2 at | |
| 14 | Harry's Nurses? | |
| 15 | A. I received a 1099. | |
| 16 | Q. White Glove Agency that you mentioned, how | |
| 17 | are you paid through White Glove? | |
| 18 | A. W-2. | |
| 19 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: I call for the | |
| 20 | production of those W-2s. | |
| 21 | MR. BERNSTEIN: I believe that was | |
| 22 | produced for 2006 and I believe my client's tax | |
| 23 | preparer is trying to locate the 2007 W-2s. | |
| 24 | That will be faxed directly to your office, | |
| 25 | 2007. | |
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| | 2 | Q. Let's go back to your education while we | |
| 1 200 | 3 | have the resume in front of us. Okay? | |
| | 4 | A. Mm-hm. | |
| | 5 | Q. You mentioned Excelsior College in Albany, | |
| | 6 | New York? | |
| | 7 | A. Mm-hm, yes. | a 8 a |
| | 8 | Q. Did you mention that to me before when we | |
| Annual Property | 9 | were going through your educational background? | |
| *************************************** | 10 | A. No. | |
| | 11 | Q. How long did you attend Excelsior College? | |
| | 12 | A. Read what it says. | . 57 |
| | 13 | Q. It says, "Currently registered and | : , |
| | 14 | accepted to commence AS in Nursing." | 7 |
| | 15 | Is that what it says? | a ran k |
| | 16 | A. Yes, sir. | |
| | 17 | Q. You are taking classes at Excelsior? | *. |
| | 18 | A. No, I'm not. | |
| | 19 | Q. Did you ever take classes at Excelsior? | |
| | 20 | A. No, I've never. | |
| | 21 | Q. So you were accepted but you never | |
| | 22 | attended? | |
| | 23 | A. Exactly. | 54.5 g s |
| | 24 | Q. When you mentioned the school in Orlando, | A |
| | 25 | was that the Florida Hospital College of Health and | 18. |
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| - 2 | | Sciences? | |
| 3 | 1,7 | A. As it states, yes. | |
| 4 | | (Defendants' Exhibit D-2, copy of | |
| 5 | | application, was marked for identification as of | |
| 6 | | this date.) | |
| 7 | | Q. Ms. Gayle, I show you a series of | |
| 8 | | documents that have been collectively marked as | |
| 9 | | Exhibit D-2. | |
| 10 | | I'm going to ask you to take a moment to | |
| 11 | | review those documents and let me know when you're | |
| 12 | | finish. | |
| 13 | | A. Okay. | |
| 14 | | MR. SILBERSTEIN: The documents that have | |
| 15 | | been marked as Exhibit D-2 is a series of four | |
| 16 | | Bates-stamped documents, D-1 through D-4, | |
| 17 | | produced during discovery of this action. It's | |
| 18 | | labeled "Application For Employment." | |
| 19 | | Q. Did you complete this form, Ms. Gayle? | * 20 |
| 20 | | A. I believe I did. | ∞. |
| 21 | | Q. I'll just refer you to the last page of | - |
| 22 | | the exhibit. There is a signature line and a date. | |
| 23 | | Is that your signature? | |
| 24 | | A. That appears to be. | |
| 25 | | Q. On the first page there is a photograph. | |

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| 2 | Is that your photograph? | |
| 3 | A. I'm not sure. | |
| 4 | Q. What does that mean? | |
| 5 | A. Meaning that it doesn't look like me. | |
| 6 | Q. It doesn't, right? | |
| 7 | A. No. | |
| 8 | Q. Is that the document that you submitted to | |
| 9 | Harry's in connection with your application for | , . |
| 10 | employment? | |
| 11 | A. I cannot answer this with a yes or no. | |
| 12 | Q. Why not? | |
| 13 | A. Because I do not trust your client and | |
| 14 | anything could have been modified after giving this | |
| 15 | to him. | |
| 16 | Q. Did you submit an application for | |
| 17 | employment to Harry's Nurses Registry? | |
| 18 | A. Yes, I did. | |
| 19 | Q. Was part of that application a request | |
| 20 | that you submit a current photograph of yourself? | |
| 21 | A. Yes. | |
| 22 | Q. You did submit a photograph to Harry's | 40 |
| 23 | Nurses | |
| 24 | A. Yes, I did. | |
| 25 | Q. Wait until I'm done with the question. | |
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| 2 | Sitting here today you are saying that you | |
| 3 | don't remember whether the photograph that is on the | |
| 4 | top of the first page of D-2 is the photograph that | |
| 5 | you actually submitted to Harry's Nurses? | |
| 6 | A. I did not say that I don't remember. | |
| 7 | Those were not my words. | |
| 8 | Q. Why don't you clarify what you meant? | |
| 9 | A. Exactly what I said is, you asked me if | |
| 10 | that is a photograph of myself | |
| 11 | MR. BERNSTEIN: Take it easy. Just | 8., |
| 12 | clarify your testimony. | |
| 13 | A. I did give a photograph. This is a copy | |
| 14 | of some photograph. | .i |
| 15 | You are asking me if that's me and I'm | |
| 16 | telling you, looking at this copy, it doesn't look | |
| 17 | like me. That's what I'm saying. I don't believe I | |
| 18 | look like what's on here. | 180 |
| 19 | Q. Do you have a copy of the photograph that | |
| 20 | you submitted to Harry's Nurses Registry in | g K y |
| 21 | connection with your application for employment? | |
| 22 | A. I believe I do. | |
| 23 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: I call for production of | 7 |
| 24 | that photograph. | |
| 25 | THE WITNESS: I don't have it on my | |
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| 2 | person. | |
| 3 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: I call for production of | |
| 4 | it. | |
| 5 | MR. BERNSTEIN: "Call" is directed to me. | |
| 6 | If you would follow it up in writing, I | |
| 7 | would appreciate it. | |
| 8 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: I'll send you a letter | |
| 9 | after we are done here today. | |
| 10 | MR. BERNSTEIN: Thank you. | |
| 11 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: Off the record. | |
| 12 | (Discussion held off the record.) | |
| 13 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: We are back on the | |
| 14 | record. | |
| 15 | This is the original application for | 24 |
| 16 | employment completed by Ms. Gayle. The | |
| 17 | document that we have marked as D-2 is a | 2 |
| 18 | photocopy of this but this actually has the | 5 |
| 19 | original photograph taped across the front of | |
| 20 | the page. | |
| 21 | (Defendants' Exhibit D-3, original | |
| 22 | application, was marked for identification as | ÷ |
| 23 | of this date.) | a |
| 24 | Q. Ms. Gayle, you now have in front of you | D IRSA |
| 25 | the original application submitted in connection | a Aj |
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| 2 | with your employment with Harry's Nurses Registry. | |
| . 3 | There is a color photograph taped on the front of | ā |
| 4 | that page. | |
| 5 | Is that the photograph that you submitted | |
| 6 | to the company? | |
| 7 | A. I believe it is. | |
| 8 | Q. Is that you? | |
| 9 | A. It looks like me. | |
| 10 | Q. The original looks like you but the | |
| 11 | photocopy does not? | |
| 12 | A. That is what I'm saying. | |
| 13 | Q. You've completed this application I | * 1 |
| 14 | refer you to D-2 now use the photocopy on | |
| 15 | February 20, 2007; is that correct? | |
| 16 | A. The exact date I'm not sure of. | |
| 17 | Q. Did you complete that date on the | |
| 18 | application? Is that your handwriting? | |
| 19 | A. I did complete an application at Harry's | |
| 20 | Nurses Registry, Inc. | - |
| 21 | Q. Is that your handwriting on the | |
| 22 | application? | ľ |
| 23 | A. It appears to be. | |
| 24 | Q. You wrote "2/20/07," right? | |
| 25 | A. I don't know. | |
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| 2 | Q. Who else completed that application? | |
| 3 | A. Sir, like I said, I don't know if my | 8 |
| 4 | application has been modified. I do not trust your | ę. |
| 5 | client. | |
| 6 | Q. Take Exhibit D-3, which is the original. | 1 |
| 7 | Look at that one. | <u>.</u> |
| 8 | Is that your handwriting? | `~ |
| 9 | A. It appears to be. | |
| 10 | Q. Did you write "2/20/07"? | |
| 11 | A. Maybe, maybe not. | |
| 12 | Q. What does that mean? | 27 |
| 13 | A. As it is, simple, maybe, maybe not. | |
| 14 | Q. You may have completed the application, | |
| 15 | you may not have? | , a |
| 16 | A. I have completed an application at Harry's | 3 - 8 - 3 |
| 17 | Nurses Registry, Inc. | |
| 18 | Q. Is that the original application with your | , · |
| 19 | color photograph sitting in front of you marked as | |
| 20 | Exhibit D-3? | |
| 21 | A. Like I said before I have answered your | ,450° |
| 22 | question before. I don't think I need to answer it | |
| 23 | again. | - |
| 24 | Q. That's up to your attorney to decide. I'm | 1 |
| 25 | going to ask you the question. | |
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| 2 | If you don't want to answer it, we will | |
| 3 | mark it for a ruling. | |
| 4 | Can you read back the question, please? | |
| 5 | And if you want to get out of here earlier | |
| 6 | today, you are not doing a good job because I will | *. |
| 7 | sit here all day and do this with you. | |
| 8 | A. Can you ask me the question again? | |
| 9 | MR. BERSTEIN: Off the record. | |
| 10 | (Testimony was read back.) | |
| 11 | Q. Do you want to change your answer to the | |
| 12 | question? | * |
| 13 | A. Would you ask your question again? | |
| 14 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: Can you read the | |
| 15 | question back, please? | |
| 16 | (Testimony was read back.) | |
| 17 | A. What was the question? She read a lot of | |
| 18 | stuff. | , |
| 19 | My question is now what was the question | |
| 20 | and I'll answer the question. | |
| 21 | Q. Did you write "2/20/07" on that | |
| 22 | application? | |
| 23 | A. It's possible. | |
| 24 | Q. Did anybody else you have the original | |
| 25 | in front of you complete any portion of the | |
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| | 2 | application? | 3 |
| | 3 | A. No, I completed it by myself, if this is | |
| | 4 | the original. | |
| | 5 | Q. Are you saying that it's not the original? | |
| | 6 | Take a look at it. | |
| 3. | 7 | Do you have any reason, sitting here | |
| | 8 | today, to believe that the document that's been | 1 |
| Tarker start | 9 | marked as Exhibit D-3 is not the original | 8 |
| | 10 | application that you submitted to Harry's Nurses | |
| | 11 | Registry? | |
| | 12 | A. I don't have an answer for you. | |
| 1 | 13 | Q. You can't answer the question? Okay. | r ² |
| | 14 | Why can't you answer the question? | × |
| | 15 | A. I think it's a stupid question. | |
| | 16 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: Mark for the record that | |
| | .7 | she said that she thinks it's a stupid | |
| | .8 | question. | |
| | 9 | MR. BERNSTEIN: I can't talk to you while | |
| | 0 | there is a question pending. | |
| 2 | | A. I think I've already answered the | , p |
| 2 | | question. I told you that it appears to be my | |
| 2 | | handwriting and it's possible, whatever is on it | |
| 2 | | no one has completed the application but me. | |
| 2 | 5 | Q. Take a look at the third page of the | |
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| 1 | GAYLE | J-1 |
| 2 | application, please. | |
| 3 | You see at the top where it says, "White | |
| 4 | Glove Placement"? | |
| 5 | A. Yes. | |
| 6 | Q. If you've listed White Glove Placement as | .• |
| 7 | your employer at the time you submitted this | |
| 8 | application, why is White Glove Placement not listed | |
| 9 | on the resume that you submitted to Harry's Nurses, | |
| 10 | which is Exhibit D-1? | |
| 11 | MR. BERNSTEIN: Objection. You can | |
| 12 | answer. | |
| 13 | A. Because that resume had been completed | |
| 14 | when was the last time I did this resume? I did | |
| 15 | this resume way before I seek employment with | |
| 16 | Harry's, before I started working with White Glove. | |
| 17 | This is the same resume that I submitted | |
| 18 | to White Glove. | 14 |
| 19 | Q. Your testimony is that you had just not | |
| 20 | updated your resume at the time you applied for work | |
| 21 | at Harry's | - |
| 22 | A. That's correct. | |
| 23 | Q Nurses? | *************************************** |
| 24 | MR. BERNSTEIN: Let him ask the entire | |
| 25 | question before you answer, because otherwise | |
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| 2 | it's difficult for the reporter to do her job. | |
| 3 | (Defendants' Exhibit D-4, letter, was | |
| 4 | marked for identification as of this date.) | |
| 5 | Q. I show you a document that's been marked | |
| 6 | as Exhibit D-4. Take a moment to look at that and | • |
| 7 | then I'll ask you some questions about it. | |
| 8 | Have you ever seen the document marked as | |
| 9 | D-4 before? | 2 4 |
| 10 | A. No. | |
| 11 | Q. You've never seen this document? | |
| 12 | A. No, I believe I don't think so. I | |
| 13 | believe it might have been faxed directly to Harry's | |
| 14 | from White Glove. | |
| 15 | Q. Take a look at the top of the document and | |
| 16 | the date. It says, "February 20, 2007," correct? | |
| 17 | Do you see that? | |
| 18 | A. Mm-hm. | |
| 19 | Q. That's the same date of your application | |
| 20 | to Harry's Nurses, correct? | |
| 21 | A. Okay. | |
| 22 | Q. Was this submitted by you in connection | |
| 23 | with your application for employment at Harry's? | |
| 24 | MR. BERNSTEIN: Objection. You can | |
| 25 | answer. | |
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| 2 | A. I don't remember submitting it to Harry's. | |
| 3 | | |
| | Q. It may have happened, you just don't | |
| 4 | remember? | |
| 5 | It says that your current rate of pay at | |
| 6 | White Glove is \$28.50 per hour, correct? | |
| 7 | A. At the time. | |
| 8 | Q. What is it now? | . , |
| 9 | A. Twenty-eight dollars. | |
| 10 | Q. It's gone down? | |
| 11 | A. It depends on what institution they send | |
| 12 | you to. Each institution pays a different rate. | |
| 13 | Q. I see. | |
| 14 | You testified earlier that you were always | İ |
| 15 | paid that you are currently being paid as a W-2 | |
| 16 | employee by White Glove; is that correct? | |
| 17 | A. Yes. | |
| 18 | Q. Is there any point in time that you've | |
| 19 | ever received a 1099 from White Glove? | |
| 20 | MR. BERNSTEIN: Objection. You can | |
| 21 | answer. | |
| 22 | A. No. | (4) |
| 23 | Q. Can you explain to me the process by which | |
| 24 | the rate of pay differs from the institutions or the | |
| 25 | places where you work through White Glove? | 1 |
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| | 3 | MR. BERNSTEIN: Objection. You can | £ . |
| | | answer. | |
| | 4 | A. No, I can't explain it. | |
| | . 5 | Q. Well, you were making \$28.50 per hour as | |
| | 6 | of February 20, 2007. | |
| | 7 | Who was paying you \$28.50 per hour? | |
| | 8 | A. White Glove. | |
| | 9 | Q. For working where? | |
| | 10 | A. It depends on what facility they send you | |
| - | 11 | to. They have different facilities. It depends on | |
| | 12 | what their contract was. That's my assumption. | |
| | 13 | Q. Where were you working on February 2007 | |
| | 14 | for White Glove? | |
| | 15 | A. Possibly in that nursing home in The | |
| ٠ | 16 | Bronx. | |
| | 17 | Q. What's the name of that? | 3 |
| | 18 | A. There are so many nursing homes. I really | |
| | 19 | don't remember the exact one. | |
| | 20 | Q. Where are you working through White Glove | |
| | 21 | today? | |
| | 22 | | ** ** |
| | 23 | The Dienix. | * |
| | | Q. But the rate of pay is different through | |
| | 24 | the current nursing home than the prior nursing | |
| 2 | 25 | home? | |
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| | 1 | GAYLE | |
| | 2 | A. I'm not paid by the nursing home. I am | |
| | 3 | paid by White Glove. | |
| | 4 | Q. I am asking for an explanation as to why | |
| | 5 | the rate of pay differs depending on where you work? | |
| | 6 | A. That I can't answer you. You'd have to | |
| | 7 | ask White Glove directly, to be honest with you. | |
| | 8 | Q. They place you somewhere and tell you what | , |
| | 9 | the rate of pay is? | . 6 |
| | 10 | A. Exactly. | |
| | 11 | Q. Depending on the institution it could be | |
| | 12 | higher or lower? | |
| - | 13 | A. That's my belief. That's what I've been | (|
| Tool or | 14 | told. | |
| | 15 | Q. Your testimony is that irrespective of the | |
| | 16 | institution you are always paid on a W-2? | |
| | 17 | MR. BERNSTEIN: Objection. | |
| | 18 | A. Restate your question, please. | |
| | 19 | Q. I want to clarify for the record if it's | |
| | 20 | your testimony that irrespective of the institution | |
| | 21 | where you are working for White Glove, you are | |
| | 22 | always paid on a W-2? | |
| | 23 | A. Yes. | |
| - | 24 | Q. Have all of the placements that you've | |
| | 25 | held through White Glove been for LPN services? | |
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| 1 1 | GAYLE | 39 |
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| 2 | A. Yes. | |
| 3 | Q. Have you ever done any other work for | |
| 4 | White Glove other than LPN? | 4 |
| 5 | A. No. | |
| 6 | Q. We noted earlier that the date of the | |
| 7 | White Glove placement letter is February 20, '07 and | |
| 8 | that's the same date that's on the top of the | |
| و _ | application which is Exhibit D-2. | ė. |
| 10 | My question is, after you were put on the | 2 |
| 11 | Harry's Nurses Registry, did you continue to work | |
| 12 | for White Glove? | |
| 13 | A. No. | |
| 14 | Q. No? | 8 |
| 15 | A. No. | |
| 16 | MR. BERNSTEIN: Just to clarify, what time | |
| 17 | period are you talking about? | |
| 18 | Q. After you submitted this application in | ' . |
| 19 | February 2007 to Harry's Nurses Registry, how long | |
| 20 | was it before you went on the Harry's Nurses | |
| 21 | Registry? | ssē. |
| 22 | A. I'm not sure. I probably started with | 4 |
| 23 | them maybe a few days after. After I did the | |
| 24 | application with Harry's, I probably had a case a | |
| 25 | few days after, after submitting the application. | |
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| 1 | GAYLE | 40 |
| 2 | During the time I was working with | |
| 3 | Harry's, no, I had no job with White Glove. | , |
| 4 | Q. I'm going to direct your attention to | |
| 5 | Exhibit D-4. It says that "This is to certify that | 4 4 |
| 6 | Claudia Gayle" | |
| 7 | A. Mm-hm. | |
| . 8 | Q. Wait until I finish the question. | 9 85 S |
| 9 | A. Okay. | |
| 10 | Q "has been in our employment from | 3 |
| 11 | September 2006-present as an LPN." | 4 7 |
| 12 | So as of February 20 you were an LPN with | |
| 13 | White Glove? | |
| 14 | A. Yes, sir. | 4 (|
| 15 | Q. Your testimony is that a few days later | |
| 16 | you went on the Harry's Nurses Registry and you | |
| 17 | stopped working through White Glove? | |
| 18 | A. I never gave them a resignation. | 7.25 |
| 19 | Q. White Glove Placement, Inc. is that also a | |
| 20 | nurses registry? | |
| 21 | MR. BERNSTEIN: Objection. You can | |
| 22 | answer. | |
| 23 | A. I don't know. | |
| 24 | Q. Do you know what I mean by "nurses | |
| 25 | registry"? | |
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| | : | 1 GAYLE | 41 |
| | 2 | A. No. Explain it to me. | |
| | 3 | Q. Have you ever heard the phrase "nurses | |
| | 4 | | |
| | 5 | A. Sure. | |
| | 6 | Q. Tell me what your understanding of a | |
| | 7 | | |
| | 8 | A. Why don't you tell me what you mean? | |
| | 9 | | |
| | 10 | | |
| | 11 | I asked you if you knew what a nurses | |
| | 12 | registry was, you said you were familiar with the | |
| | 13 | term. I'm asking for your understanding of what a | |
| | 14 | nurses registry is? | |
| | 15 | A. I don't have an understanding. | |
| : | 16 | Q. You don't? | |
| : | 17 | A. No. | |
| 1 | 18 | Q. But you've heard the term? | |
|] | 19 | A. Yes. | |
| 2 | 20 | Q. Tell me what type of organization White | |
| 2 | 21 | Glove Placement, Inc. is then. | |
| 2 | 2 | A. It's a nurses agency. | |
| 2 | 3 | Q. Okay. | 2 |
| | 4 | A. Any further explanation you would have to | |
| 2 | 5 | call White Glove. | 1 |
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| 1 | GAYLE | 42 |
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| 2 | Q. You've been working with White Glove from | |
| 3 | September 2006 to the present, correct? | |
| 4 | A. Yes. | |
| 5 | Q. And you tell me it's a nurses agency? | |
| 6 | A. Yes. | |
| 7 | Q. Is a nurses agency different than a nurses | |
| 8 | registry? | |
| 9 | MR. BERNSTEIN: Objection. | * * |
| 10 | A. I guess it's just a play on words. | 5(|
| 11 | Q. What is a nurses agency? | |
| 12 | A. Sir, I do not incorporate I do not do | 2 |
| 13 | anything legal where business are concerned so you | |
| 14 | would have to check that one out. | |
| 15 | MR. BERNSTEIN: Ms. Gayle, I have already | |
| 16 | cbjected and all that is balled up in the | |
| 17 | objection I gave. | |
| 18 | | |
| | It's perfectly acceptable for you to say | |
| 19 | what you understand by "nurses agency." | 8 |
| 20 | A. I understand that, but I'm saying I don't | |
| 21 | really have to me it's a play on words. You | |
| 22 | could call it any way you want, Placement, Inc., | , " |
| 23 | Nurses Registry. That's what I'm saying. That's my | |
| 24 | understanding. | |
| 25 | Q. I am asking you for your understanding of | |
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| | 1 | | GAYLE | 10 |
| | 2 | what a | nurses agency is. | |
| | 3 | A. | An agency, a company that employs nurses | |
| | 4 | to go to | different facilities to work. | |
| | 5 | Q. | Is that what White Glove Placement, Inc. | |
| | 6 | is? | | |
| | 7 | A. | That's what I understand it to be. | |
| | 8 | Q. | Is that what you've been doing there from | |
| | 9 | Septembe | r 2006 to the present, May 2008? | à. |
| | 10 | Α. | There are periods of time when I did not | |
| | 11 | take ass | ignment from White Glove Placement, Inc. | |
| | 12 | Q. | Have you ever removed your name from the | |
| : | 13 | White Glo | ove agency at any time from September 2006 | |
| 1 | L 4 | to the pa | | |
|] | .5 | Α. | No. | |
| 1 | .6 | Q. | Take a look at the address at the top of | |
| 1 | .7 | the page. | | |
| 1 | 8 | | Is White Glove Placement, Inc. located in | |
| 1 | 9 | Brooklyn? | | |
| 2 | 0 | Α. | That's what it says. | |
| 2 | 1 | Q. | Do you know that to be true? | |
| 2 | 2 | А. | I've never been there. | 44 |
| 2 | 3 | Q. | How are you paid through White Glove? | |
| 2 | 4 | A. | Direct deposit. | |
| 2 | 5 | Q. | What about, when you interviewed with White | |
| | | J. | Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z | |
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| 1 | ** | GAYLE | 44 |
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| _ 2 | Glove? | | |
| 3 | Α. | They have satellite offices. | |
| 4 | Q. | Which satellite office do you use? | |
| 5 | Α. | Like branches. | 1 |
| 6 | Q. | Yes. | |
| 7 | A. | Right. | |
| 8 | Q. | Which one did you use? | |
| 9 | Α. | I went to the one in The Bronx. | |
| 10 | Q. | As of February 20, 2007, at the time you | |
| 11 | submitted | this application to Harry's Nurses, your | |
| 12 | testimony | is that you were working through White | |
| 13 | Glove at a | nursing facility in The Bronx, correct? | , , |
| 14 | A. | Yes. | |
| 15 | Q. | Take a look at the application, please, | |
| 16 | it's Exhib | oit D-2. You can look at the original one, | ~ |
| 17 | if you war | nt, that's D-3. | 2 |
| 18 | | You listed an address in Covington, | |
| 19 | Georgia. | Why is that? | |
| 20 | Α. | Because it's my home. | |
| 21 | . Q. | Did you maintain another address at the | |
| 22 | time you | submitted this application? | |
| 23 | A. | What do you mean if I maintained another | |
| 24 | address? | | , , |
| 25 | 1860. | Were you commuting from Georgia every day | (|
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| ٠ | 1 | GAYLE | 45 |
| | 2 | up to The Bronx? | |
| | 3 | MR. BERNSTEIN: Objection. | |
| | 4 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: Let record reflect that | 3. |
| | 5 | the witness is closing her eyes, grimacing, | |
| | 6 | making faces at me. | 6 |
| | 7 | It's a very simple question. | |
| | 8 | MR. BERNSTEIN: She is looking down at the | |
| | 9 | document, Mr. Silberstein. From where you're | |
| | 10 | sitting it might look like she is closing her | |
| | 11 | eyes and grimacing. | |
| | 12 | MR. SILBERSTEIN: I think that the | |
| - | 13 | witness's behavior today has been | 7 |
|] | . 4 | uncooperative. She is the plaintiff in this | |
| 1 | .5 | case. | |
| 1 | 6 | She told me she wants to get out of here | 16- |
| 1 | 7 | early today. She is being difficult in | |
| . 1 | 8 | answering the questions. And, quite frankly, | |
| . 1 | 9 | her mannerisms are not going to be reflected | |
| 2 | 0 | for the record unless I point them out. | |
| 2 | 1 | It's a simple question. Did you commute | |
| 22 | 2 | up from Georgia every day to The Bronx or were | |
| 23 | 3 | you living up here? | |
| 24 | l | A. I stay in New York. | |
| 25 | , , | Q. Where? | |
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