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Via Email and Regular Mail

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Re: *Bridges et al. v. Methodist et al., Cause No. 4:21-CV-01774; Stevenson et al. v. Methodist et al., Cause No. 21-08-11333; Tom Reed, D.P.M. v. Methodist et al.; Cause No. 21-09-12645.*

Dear Mr. Patton:

On October 11, 2021, Governor Greg Abbott issued Executive Order Number GA 40. (“GA 40”) Within GA 40, Governor Abbott recognizes that “countless Texan’s fear losing their livelihoods because they object to receiving a COVID-19 vaccination for reasons of personal conscience, based on a religious belief, or for medical reasons, including prior recovery from COVID-19.” Accordingly, Governor Abbott ordered:

“No entity in Texas can compel receipt of a COVID-19 vaccine by any individual, including an employee or a consumer, who objects to such vaccination for any reason of personal conscience, based on a religious belief, or for medical reasons, including prior recovery from COVID-19. I hereby suspend all relevant statutes to the extent necessary to enforce this prohibition.”

This Executive Order certainly applies to Methodist Hospital. Although many of the plaintiffs we represent were erroneously and tragically denied religious exemptions, all of the plaintiffs can assert that each refused to take the experimental COVID-19 “vaccine” for any reason of personal conscience.

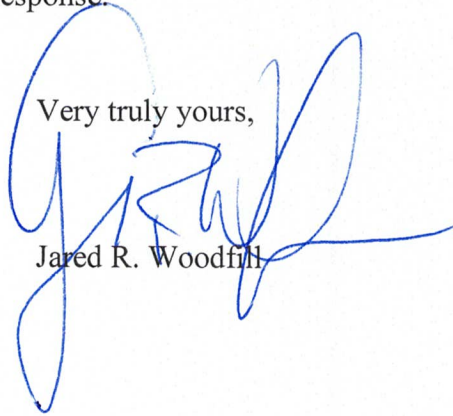
While Methodist executives and administrators cowardly shielded themselves from COVID-19 positive patients, our clients were on the front line treating COVID-19 positive patients. As a result, many contracted COVID-19. Governor Abbott’s order reflects an appreciation not only for their sacrifice, but more importantly for the science regarding those who have developed a natural

immunity. Accordingly, GA 40 prohibits the termination of those individuals who have recovered from COVID-19 and have not received the COVID-19 “vaccine”.

Based on Governor Abbott’s GA 40, and in an effort to mitigate damages as required by Texas law, I am requesting that all of our clients immediately be reinstated to their former positions.

I look forward to receiving your positive response.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jared R. Woodfill", is written over the typed name. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "J" and "R".

Jared R. Woodfill