STATE OF FLORIDA DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

(), on behalf of and as parents and natural guardians of (), a minor,

Petitioners,

CASE NO.:

vs.

FLORIDA BIRTH-RELATED NEUROLOGICAL INJURY COMPENSATION ASSOCIATION,

Respondent.

PETITION FOR BENEFITS PURSUANT TO FLORIDA STATUTE SECTION 766.301 et seq.

COMES NOW, the Petitioners, (), on behalf of and as parents and

natural guardians of (), and petition for benefits pursuant to Florida

Statute Section 766.301 et seq. and state:

Legal representatives of the claimant:

1.	This petition is brought on behalf of (), by and through ()				
parents and natural guardians, (
Name and address of injured infant:							
2.	The injured infant's name is ().				
Name and address of injured infant:							
3.	The physician providing obstetric services who was preser	nt at the birth is:					

(

Description of disability:

It is alleged that () suffered brain damage as a result of a

).

birth-related neurological injury.

4.

Time and place of birth:

5.	At (),				
Date Of Birth	:().					
Time and Place of injury:							
6.	At (), ()				
Statement of facts:							
7.	It is alleged that () suffered brain damage as a result of	a difficult				
birth.							
Medical Records of Claimant:							
8.	The medical records and hospital re	cords of the mother, () and				
the infant, () have been	forwarded to Florida Birth Related Neu	rological				
Injury Compensation Association (NICA).							
9.	Forwarded to NICA were the medi	cal records from:					

A.	() for the mother, ().
B.	() for the infant, ().

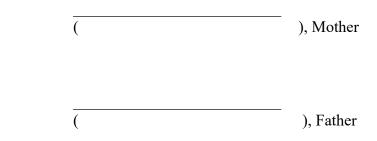
Medical bills, expenses, and evaluations:

All available documents have been requested from each health care provider noted above and are attached hereto.

- 10. A certified copy of the birth certificate is attached.
- 11. The Petitioners request the following relief for themselves and their minor child:
 - A. Expenses for items or services that are medically necessary and reasonable for the child's medical and hospital care, habilitation and training, custodial care and services and related care in the past and in the future for the rest of (his/her) life.
 - B. Periodic payments (or lump sum) of an award to the parent(s) of the minor in an amount not to exceed the amount authorized in section 766.31(1)(d)1.a., Florida Statutes.
 - C. All expenses requested hereunder are to be awarded pursuant to the provisions of Sections 766.301-766.316, Florida Statutes, and subject to exclusions contained in said sections.

D. Reasonable expenses incurred in connection with the filing of this claim. We affirm that the representations set forth in this Petition for Benefits do not contain any false, incomplete or misleading information, that we have not omitted nor concealed any material information, and that we understand this Petition for Benefits is being submitted to obtain benefits under the NICA Plan, and that NICA is materially and substantially relying upon the representations contained herein.

WHEREFORE, the Petitioners respectfully request that they be granted the benefits available to them and their minor child under the Florida Statutes governing birth-related neurological injuries. Dated this _____ day of , _____.



CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

WE HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Petition For Benefits has been furnished by certified mail, return receipt requested, to Clerk of DOAH, Division of Administrative Hearings, 1230 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3060, (850) 488-9675, this ______, ____.

