STATE OF INDIANA)) ss:	IN THE LAKE SUPERIOR COURT CIVIL DIVISION, ROOM TWO
COUNTY OF LAKE)	EAST CHICAGO, INDIANA
GAIL LEWIS HICKS,)	
LARRY HICKS,)	
Plaintiffs,)	
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VS.)	Case No. 45D02-2007-CT-000727
)	
KEITH L. HEAD,)	
AMERICAN FAMILY MUTUAL)	
INSURANCE COMPANY, S.I.,)	
Defendants.)	

VERIFIED MOTION TO CORRECT ERRORS

Come now Plaintiff – GAIL LEWIS HICKS and Plaintiff – LARRY HICKS, substituted by the ESTATE OF LARRY HICKS, through their attorney, John H. Davis and for their *Verified Motion to Correct Errors* set forth the following:

- 1. On or about November 11, 2024, Defendant AMERICAN FAMILY MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, S.I. ("American Family") filed Defendant, American Family's, Motion to Dismiss Amended Complaint and Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings and Motion for Sanctions.
- 2. On or about September 27, 2024, the trial court ordered plaintiff to file an Amended Complaint as to Plaintiff LARRY HICKS in order to substitute his (plaintiff's) estate due to his (Larry's) death prior to the resolution of this case.

On or about October 21, 2024, plaintiffs filed their amended complaint pursuant to the trial court's order issued September 27, 2024 which stated: "11. If Plaintiff intends to amend its

pleading to reflect the Estate of Larry Hicks (as a party, as a co-plaintiff), this needs to be done on or before October 31, 2024". See copy of caption and title of the Amended Complaint which sets forth that the amendment is limited to Plaintiff LARRY HICKS' Estate.

(See copy of trial court's Amended Case Management Order dated **September 27, 2024** *Item #11* regarding filing of amended complaint marked as **EXHIBIT A** *in 1 page* attached and made apart hereto).

Further, in Item #14 of the Amended Complaint, filed on or about October 21, 2024, Plaintiffs clearly set forth that "Defendant American Family was dismissed as a part of the Complaint."

- 3. The plaintiffs request the Court to grant this Verified Motion to Correct Errors based upon several **fundamental** errors.
- 4. Defendant American Family's allegation that plaintiffs purposefully sought to relitigate the claim against Defendant American Family Mutual Insurance Company, S.I. is factually incorrect.
 - 5. The following is a **chronological** history of the case.
- 6. On or about July 20, 2020, Plaintiff GAIL LEWIS HICKS and Plaintiff LARRY HICKS filed their Complaint.
- 7. On or about August 17, 2020, Attorney Robert O'Dell filed an Appearance for Defendant AMERICAN FAMILY MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, S.I. ("American Family").
- 8. On or about October 10, 2020, Attorney Robert O'Dell filed an Answer for Defendant American Family along with several motions.

- 9. On or about December 7, 2020, Judge Calvin D. Hawkins in Room Two of the East Chicago, Indiana Superior Court Granted Plaintiffs' motion for judgment on the pleadings.
- 10. On or about May 18, 2021, American Family filed a motion for summary judgment which was denied by Judge Calvin D. Hawkins.
- 11. On or about February 7, 2022, the Indiana Court of Appeals reversed the Judge's denial of American Family's motion to dismiss.
- 12. On or about September 22, 2022, Plaintiffs filed a petition for certiorari regarding the American Family Insurance matter with the United States Supreme Court. Certiorari was denied by the United States Supreme Court.
- 13. On or about March 9, 2023, Defendants submitted a pleading to the trial court judge—Judge Calvin D. Hawkins—setting forth that the United State Supreme Court ruled in their favor. Plaintiffs' attorney indicated to the trial court that a petition for certiorari is not a denial on the merits of the case and is only based upon a panel of three United States Supreme Court Justices to grant a petition for certiorari after which the United States Supreme Court would entertain briefs and arguments as to the *merits* of the case.
- 14. On or about May 18, 2023, the trial court judge, Calvin D. Hawkins, stated that he (Judge Hawkins) was not aware that a petition for certiorari involving American Family had been filed with the United States Supreme Court.
- 15. On or about December 22, 2020, Attorney Bridgett Nelson filed her Appearance for Defendant KEITH L. HEAD.
- 16. On or about December 8, 2022, Attorney Bridgett Nelson sought to take the Deposition of Plaintiff GAIL LEWIS HICKS at her (Attorney Nelson's) office rather than at Attorney John H. Davis' office which is located in Merrillville, Indiana.

- 17. On or about January 13, 2023, the trial court ruled that Attorney Bridgett Nelson must take Plaintiff's (GAIL LEWIS HICKS') deposition at the Law Office of Attorney John H. Davis on or before February 17, 2023.
- 18. On or about May 18, 2023, Attorney Bridgett Nelson requested that a question that was certified during the deposition of Plaintiff GAIL LEWIS HICKS in February of 2023 should be answered by Plaintiff GAIL LEWIS HICKS.
- 19. On or about October 12, 2023, Attorney Bridgett Nelson questioned Plaintiff GAIL LEWIS HICKS at Attorney John H. Davis' office regarding the above-mentioned certified question. In that same deposition, a copy of the Police Report regarding the accident of July 22, 2018, was made Plaintiffs' exhibit in said Deposition.

(See copy of self-authenticating Indiana Officer's Standard Crash Report created in the normal course of business marked as **EXHIBIT B** in 6 pages attached and made apart hereto.)

20. In Item #1 of the trial court's September 27, 2024 Amended Case Management Order, said Order set forth that "The parties stipulate to <u>Michael Tolbert</u> to serve as civil mediator herein."

On or about October 16, 2024, Attorney Michael Tolbert sent email requesting availability for Mediation from both parties' attorneys. On or about **October 16, 2024**, Attorney Bridgett Nelson—who was ordered by the trial court to set up the Mediation—indicated to the Mediator (Michael Tolbert) that defendant would be available for a December 16, 2024 Mediation.

Subsequently, plaintiffs' attorney contacted the Mediation to confirm the December 16, 2024 date for Mediation and the Mediator – Michael Tolbert indicated he reserved December 16, 2024.

(See copy of email dated October 16, 2024 marked as **EXHIBIT C** in 2 pages attached and made apart hereto.)

21. The case history supports the fact that the trial court, defendant's attorney, plaintiffs, and plaintiff's attorney were all aware that the amended case management order involved **only** the Defendant KEITH HEAD in that Defendant American Family had been dismissed all the way up to, and including, all hearings and appeals which left only the Defendant KEITH HEAD—thus supporting the fact that no pleading of plaintiff would include Defendant American Family.

Defendant American Family never requested that Defendant KEITH HEAD be included in any dismissal. Defendant's proposed Order specifically requested that Defendant American Family be dismissed as a Defendant. Neither party asked the trial court that Defendant KEITH HEAD be dismissed, given all parties knew that Defendant American Family was dismissed in May of 2023.

The Defendant American Family was dismissed as a part of the Complaint.

- 22. Plaintiffs request that the trial court reset scheduling pursuant to Indiana Trial Rule 16 as to Defendant KEITH HEAD.
- 23. Plaintiffs include the following argument supporting this Verified Motion to Correct Errors.

BRIEF

- 24. The previous statements—#1 through Item #23—are included concomitantly as though directly set forth herein.
- 25. The trial court committed fundamental error in that Defendant American Family filed a motion on November 11, 2024 upon which the trial court ruled on November 12, 2024—within one (1) day of Defendant American Family's filing of said motion. This ruling denied plaintiffs the same fundamental rights that were granted to Defendant American Family regarding a fifteen (15) day period to respond to plaintiff's filing in December of 2020.
- 26. On or about September 27, 2024, during a Hearing, plaintiffs requested the trial court to substitute Plaintiff, LARRY HICKS, for the ESTATE OF LARRY HICKS in that LARRY HICKS passed away prior to the completion of this case. The trial court denied that request.
- 27. Federal Rules of Civil Procedure can be appropriately applied in state court proceedings. Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 25(a)(1)(2)—Substitution of Parties, "If a party dies and the claim is not extinguished, the court may order substitution of the proper party ... After a party's death, if the right sought to be enforced survives only to or against the remaining parties, the action does not abate, but proceeds in favor of or against the remaining parties ..."
- 28. The trial court refused to grant substitution of parties—as mentioned above—which constitutes fundamental error.
- 29. The rule, as set forth above, essentially provides that the ESTATE OF LARRY HICKS' substitution left the remaining parties—GAIL LEWIS HICKS and her daughter Diamond.

- 30. As mentioned above, all parties to the litigation, including the trial court, were aware that the scheduling as set forth by the trial court referred to Defendant KEITH HEAD thus an argument seeking to claim that plaintiffs were seeking to re-litigate the case as to Defendant American Family is facially false and therefore should be subject to granting plaintiff legal or attorneys fees for responding to Defendant American Family's motion to dismiss and motion for judgment on the pleadings. It should also be subject to sanctions for purposefully filing frivolous motions without due diligence.
- 31. Plaintiffs' amendment was intended only to substitute the ESTATE OF LARRY HICKS for LARRY HICKS and was not intended to amend or change any wording or substantive portions of the original Complaint thus the amendment clearly points out that nothing is being amended other than or limited to the substitution of the ESTATE OF LARRY HICKS which is why it sets forth all the elements of the original Complaint and was not seeking to relitigate the entire matter as indicated in Item #14 of the amended Complaint where the amended complaint—limited to the ESTATE OF LARRY HICKS—states "... The Defendant American Family was dismissed as a part of the Complaint."
- 32. The trial court could not grant a summary judgment for Defendant American Family since all parties, including the trial court, was aware that Defendant American Family Mutual Insurance Company, S.I. had been dismissed thus the granting of a judgment on the pleadings pursuant to Indiana Trial Rule 12(C) has to be contradictory given the known facts of Defendant American Family's status in the case. Additionally, a motion for judgment on the pleadings is the same as a motion for summary judgment and must reflect that there are no issues for trial. Plaintiffs submitted self authenticating evidence that the police report was made in the normal cause of business.

(See copy of self-authenticating Indiana Officer's Standard Crash Report created in the normal course of business marked as **EXHIBIT B** in 6 pages.)

That exhibit (**EXHIBIT B**) provides evidence that there is a triable issue which must be present to the Trier of Fact.

- 33. Defendant American Family's argument that the plaintiff has not presented an issue where the plaintiffs did not state a claim where the trial court can grant relief is clearly inaccurate. As stated above, the police crash report a statement (**EXHIBIT B, Page 2 of 5**) by the driver of Defendant KEITH HEAD's car that she "looked down and was distracted" when her vehicle impacted plaintiff's vehicle.
- 34. This same self-authenticating crash report (**EXHIBIT B, Page 1 of 5**) also indicates that Plaintiff GAIL LEWIS HICKS had no contributory negligence or acts that caused the accident.
 - 35. Therefore, there is a claim in which the trial court can grant relief to the plaintiffs.
- 36. All the Rhetorical Allegations of the amended Complaint which were taken from the original Complaint clearly sets forth liability of Defendant KEITH HEAD.
- 37. Finally, Defendant KEITH HEAD insured himself regarding any accidents or damages that he may cause and specifically insured the driver of the vehicle—Pamela Dickerson. This fact supports Defendant KEITH HEAD's taking responsibility for the accident caused by the driver of his vehicle—Pamela Dickerson.
- 38. The WHEREFORE clause—as submitted in the amended Complaint—should be considered a scrivener's error in that plaintiffs requested "damages and Judgment against

Defendant – AMERICAN FAMILY MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, S.I., including punitive damages for **bad faith** in settlement, attorney's fees, ..."—all of scrivener's error in the WHEREFORE clause—came from the original Complaint.

- 39. The trial court committed fundamental error when it failed to provide plaintiffs fifteen (15) days to respond to defendant's motions pursuant to *Lake County Local Rule 45-TR7*.
- 40. The trial court committed fundamental error when it refused to substitute the ESTATE OF LARRY HICKS for LARRY HICKS.
- 41. The trial court committed fundamental error when the trial court cancelled all previously scheduled dates including the Order for Mediation which was not requested by defendants or by plaintiffs.
- 42. The trial court was made aware that plaintiffs' attorney—John H. Davis—placed on record accommodations under ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act). This accommodation did not become necessary in that the trial court denied the normal fifteen (15) day period in which to respond to defendant's motion. Apparently, this accommodation was not taken into consideration by the trial court's rulings.
- 43. The defendant pointed out that the trial court should take a position that is most favorable to the plaintiffs in considering defendant's motions. The test to be applied on a motion to dismiss for failure to state a claim is whether, in the light most favorable to the Plaintiffs and with every intendment regarded in their favor, whether the Complaint sufficiently states a valid claim. Roberts v. State, 307 N.E.2d 501 (Ind.App. 1974); Mobile Enterprises, Inc. v. Conrad, 380 N.E.2d 100 (Ind.App. 1978). (See P. 6, Item #20 of defendant's November 11, 2024 motion).

WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs – GAIL LEWIS HICKS and the ESTATE OF LARRY HICKS request that the trial court Reset scheduling dates regarding Defendant – KEITH HEAD, Reorder mediation regarding Defendant – KEITH HEAD, and Grant plaintiffs motion to correct errors, and for all other just and proper relief in the premises.

Date: November 20, 2024

Respectfully submitted

/s/ John H. Davis
John H. Davis
Attorney for Plaintiffs,
GAIL LEWIS HICKS and
ESTATE OF LARRY HICKS

John H. Davis P. O. Box 43 Crown Point, Indiana 46308-0043 (219) 884-2461 **VERIFICATION**

I, John H. Davis, being duly sworn upon my oath and subject to the penalties for perjury,

do state that I have prepared and read the foregoing averments and that said averments are true

and correct to the best of my information, knowledge and belief.

Dated: November 20, 2024

/s/ John H. Davis

John H. Davis

Attorney at Law

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on 20th day of November 2024, I electronically filed the foregoing

document using the Indiana E-Filing System (IEFS). I also certify that on 20th day of

November 2024, a service of a true and complete copy of the above and foregoing pleading was

made upon each party or attorney of record herein using the Indiana -E-Filing System (IEFS).

By:

/s/ John H. Davis

John H. Davis

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Filed: 11/20/2024 7:40 PM Clerk Lake County, Indiana

EXHIBIT A

(In 1 page)

STATE OF INDIANA)	LAKE SUPERIOR COURT
COUNTY OF LAKE) SS:)	CIVIL DIVISION, ROOM TWO EAST CHICAGO, INDIANA
GAIL LEWIS HICKS, Plaintiffs, v. KEITH L HEAD, Defendant.	Filed in Open Cou) CAUSE NO. 45D02-2007-CT-000727
Defendant.	MUELAN SUPERIOR COURT	

AMENDED CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER

Plaintiff(s) appeared by counsel John Davis. The Defendant(s) appeared by counsel Bridgett Nelson and Jeffrey Bick.

1. The parties stipulate to <u>Michael Tolbert</u> to serve as civil mediator herein. Counsel for the Defendant to contact said mediator within seven days to coordinate and schedule mediation. Mediation to be completed as expediently as possible.

2. The parties anticipate trial lasting (4) days.

- 3. This matter is currently set for Jury Trial as follows: Primary: March 3, 2025 Counsel to check in with the Court's Bailiff by 8:30 a.m. Counsel shall contact the Court 30 days perior to the primary trial setting to advise the Court of trial readiness. Should this case settle prior to any trial setting, counsel shall advise the Court as soon as possible.
- 4. Defendant's counsel shall prepare a Pre-trial Order as required. Said Pre-trial Order shall be signed by all counsel and shall be filed with the Court on or before January 31, 2025.

5. All discovery to be completed by <u>NA</u>.

- 6. All dispositive motions to be filed by December 1, 2024.
 - 7. Final witness lists exchanged by February 21, 2025.
 - 8. Motions in Limine to be filed by February 21, 2025.
- 9. Final Pre-trial Conference set February 27, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. Any Motions in Limine filed will be addressed at the Final Pre-trial Conference.
- 10. Seven days prior to trial, counsel for the parties shall submit their proposed final jury instructions (no more than ten per side) and proposed forms of verdict, along with a jointly prepared and signed Preliminary Instruction on the issues herein. Counsel shall email same in electronic format to pankoja@lakecountyin.org, the Court Reporter of Lake Superior Court, Civil Division, Room Two. No PDF files. Said Instructions shall be in conformity with the Indiana Trial Rules.
- 11. If Plaintiff intends to amend its pleading to reflect the Estate of Larry Hicks (as a party, as a coplaintiff), this needs to be done on or before October 31, 2024.

ENTERED: September 27, 2024

CALVIN D. HAWKINS, Judge

Lake Superior Court, Civil Division, Room 2

East Chicago, Indiana

EXHIBIT B

(In 6 pages)

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KEITH L. HEAD,)	
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POLICE REPORT PREPARED IN THE NORMAL COURSE OF BUSINESS

The attached Merrillville Police Report was prepared in the normal course of business at the Merrillville Police Department. I am the keeper of such records.

Keeper of Records

Joree Salomon

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legal1 <legal1@tolbertlegal.com> Wed, Oct 16, 2024 at 12:17 PM To: "Nelson, Bridgett J" <BNELSON3@amfam.com>, John Davis <attyhdavis@gmail.com>, "JBICK@amfam.com" <JBICK@amfam.com>

Good morning,

Thank you for selecting Michael Tolbert as mediator. Below are some dates and times he has open to schedule the mediation.

- Thursday, December 12th at 9:30 a.m. or 1:30 p.m.
- Monday, December 16th at 9:30 a.m.

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- Monday, January 6th at 9:30 a.m.
- Monday, January 13th at 2:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, January 14th at 1:30 p.m.

Please be advised any dates that have been given have most likely been given to multiple parties in other cases and can book up quickly.

Regards,



Yvette C. Brown Legal Assistant

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I can do Monday, December 16th at 9:30 a.m.

Thank you,

Bridgett