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Ms. Gin Hawthorne
3920 North 61st Street
Milwaukee, WI 53216

RE: C.I. File No. 1061-2012-2875
Communication from GIN HAWTHORNE

Dear Ms. Hawthorne:

We have received your claim concerning the death of your mother, Ruth Hawthorne in relation to an emergency call that was placed on July 6, 2012 to the Milwaukee Fire Department.

Our investigation reveals on July 6, 2012 an emergency call was placed by Ruth Hawthorne for emergency medical assistance at her residence located at 3918 North 61st Street. In her call to the dispatch services, she reported she had trouble breathing. Once the emergency medical technicians arrived, a physical assessment was completed and she was transported to the emergency room of Columbia-St. Mary's Hospital. The Milwaukee Fire Department was not negligent, and undertook the appropriate action in this matter. The City of Milwaukee would not be liable; therefore, we are denying your claim.


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If you wish to appeal this decision, you may do so by sending a letter within 21 days of the receipt of this letter to the Milwaukee City Clerk, 200 East Wells Street, Room 205, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202, requesting a hearing.

Very truly yours,



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