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PROVIDING: ELDER LAW SERVICES ESTATE PLANNING AND TRUST ADMINISTRATION MEDICAID AND PUBLIC BENEFITS PLANNING SPECIAL NEEDS PLANNING GUARDIANSHIP SERVICES WILL CONTESTS AND PROBATE LITIGATION NURSING HOME LAW AND LITIGATION VA BENEFITS PLANNING FAMILY LAW SERVICES COLLABORATIVE LAW MEDIATION SERVICES SOCIAL SECURITY DISABILITY APPEALS

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL/RRR

Social Security Administration 190 Middlesex Turnpike 3rd Floor Iselin, NJ 08830

> Re: G.Z. Social Security No.: XXX-XX-XXXX

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please be advised that the undersigned represents G•Z• re Supplemental Security Income disability benefits.

recipient of

Mr. Z. was recently involved in a divorce. For your information, as stated in the Dual Final Judgment of Divorce, an appropriate alimony award and the equitable distribution of the marital property, was adopted by both parties. It was agreed that my client's former spouse would satisfy all financial obligations by paying my client, Mr. Z. a lump sum payment of \$95,000, payable to the trustee of a self-settled special needs trust, established by the Court, due to Mr. Z.'s disability. This Trust meets the requirements of the Social Security program.

Enclosed please find two (2) copies of the following documents:

1) The Self-Settled Special Needs Trust For The Sole Benefit of $\,_{\rm G.Z.}$ and,

2) The Dual Final Judgment of Divorce, agreed upon by my client and his former wife, L.Z.

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If you have any questions of comments, please contact me. Thank you for your consideration.

Very truly yours,

Donald D. Varaelli Donald D. Vanarelli

Enc. DDV:gm cc: G.Z.

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