UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

In re	:	**Chapter 11**
	:	**Case No. 06-10179 (B)**
OCA, INC., *et al.*,	:	
	:	**(Jointly Administered)**
Debtors.	:	

MEMORANDUM OF DR. BRADLEY K. HOOK, D.D.S., M.S. WITH REGARD TO MOTION FOR CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER

MAY IT PLEASE THE COURT:

Bradley K. Hook, DDS, MS, is a Defendant in Adversary Proceeding No. 06-1200, regarding his business service agreement ("BSA") with OrthAlliance, one of the Debtors herein. Dr. Hook submits this memorandum with regard to the status conference set for October 18, 2006. Documents No. 1926 and 1932.

The Debtors' Motion for Status Conference (Document No. 1926) makes suggestions regarding a case management order that would deprive Dr. Hook of his rights under the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. In this regard, Dr. Hook joins in the objections stated by other adversary proceeding defendants, Documents Nos. 1942, 1944, 1945, and 1946.

Dr. Hook will not repeat the objections stated in the other Memoranda, but emphasizes that most of the issues in the BSA litigation are individual to each doctor. In particular, Dr. Hook contends that OrthAlliance failed completely to deliver the services promised in his BSA and that his relationship with OrthAlliance ended in 1999. Based on these contentions, there are a number of potential bases on which the claim against Dr. Hook may be dismissed summarily, including prescription.

The written discovery from Dr. Hook to the Debtors was carefully tailored and specific to the issues relating to Dr. Hook. (Exhibit V to the Debtors Ex Parte Motion for Case Management Scheduling Conference and Supplemental Scheduling Order, Document No. 1926.) Any unusual delay in the Debtor's response to the individual discovery from Dr. Hook will hinder his effort to obtain summary dismissal and would be unduly prejudicial to him.

Accordingly, Dr. Hook objects to any scheduling order that delays the Debtor's response to specific written discovery from him until after the Debtor responds to some hypothetical form of "standardized" discovery. The Debtor's response to general, standardized discovery should not delay the Debtor's response to discovery from Dr. Hook or any other doctor concerning their individual cases.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the above and foregoing has been served upon the following by Notice of Electronic Filing, or if the party served does not participate in Notice of Electronic Filing, by United States First Class mail, fax or e-mail on this 17th day of October, 2006

/s/Edward F. LeBreton, III