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Dear Mr. Jenkins:

On June 8, 1978, this office issued the opinion that the Comptroller General should pay all ordinary and regular obligations which the Board of Chiropractic Examiners should continue to incur subsequent to the recent South Carolina Supreme Court decision in Gold v. Board of Chiropractic Examiners. This opinion was based on the fact that the South Carolina Supreme Court had stayed the remittitur in the Gold case on May 22, 1978.

However, this office received notice yesterday from the South Carolina Supreme Court that the Court was denying the Board's petition for a stay of remittitur as of June 12, 1978. In our opinion the effect of this latest ruling is to remove all statutory powers and official status of the Board, its members, agents, or employees. Therefore, it would not be proper for the Comptroller General to pay any obligations of the Board of Chiropractic Examiners incurred on or after June 12, 1978.

Sincerely yours,

David C. Eckstrom  
Staff Attorney

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