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SOCIAL WORK EXT 2840

Disability Living Allowance
Warbreck House
Warbreck Hill
Blackpool
FY2 0YE

Dear Sir/Madam

Re: Mr William Murphy - d.o.b. 07.11.34

National Insurance No: ZM 32 01 19 D

I write on behalf of the above-named gentleman who has been in receipt of the lower rate of D.L.A. care component since 1992.

Mr Murphy has numerous health difficulties, exacerbated by haemophilia, a blood clotting disorder which causes painful internal bleeding into the joints of the body. Over the past 6 months, Mr Murphy's joints have deteriorated significantly and his ability to attend to his personal care needs has been reduced substantially as a result.

Over recent months, Mr Murphy has come to rely upon his wife to assist him with many routine daily tasks ie. washing, combing his hair, putting on socks, fastening buttons etc. He requires constant assistance with many other personal care needs and in my opinion, should be considered for transfer to the higher rate of D.L.A. care component.

I should be extremely grateful if Mr Murphy's case could be reviewed with a view to transfer to the higher rate. If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me on: 051 706 2840.

Many thanks for your assistance in this matter. I look forward to receiving your reply.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Linda Smith
SOCIAL WORKER

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