IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

HEALTHTRUST, INC. - THE § § No. 392, 1999 HOSPITAL COMPANY, § Court Below: Court of Chancery Defendant Below, of the State of Delaware in and for Appellant,

New Castle County

v.

C. A. No. 15904

ALAN CHAMISON.

§ § § Plaintiff Below, Appellee.

> Submitted: February 29, 2000 Decided: March 6, 2000

Before VEASEY, Chief Justice, HARTNETT and BERGER, Justices.

ORDER

This 6th day of March 2000, the Court having carefully considered the decision and judgment of the Court of Chancery dated June 30, 1999, and the briefs of the parties and their contentions in oral argument, has determined as follows.

To the extent that (a) the issues raised on appeal are factual, the record evidence supports the trial judge's factual findings; (b) the errors alleged on appeal are attributed to an abuse of discretion, the record does not support those assertions; (c) the issues raised on appeal are legal, they are controlled by settled Delaware law, which was properly applied.

NOW,	THEREFORE,	IT IS ORDE	ERED that th	e judgment	of the	Court of
Chancery be,	and the same he	ereby is,				

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/s/ E. Norman Veasey
Chief Justice