IN THE MATTER OF
THE CLAIM OF PATRICIA W. GORE
AGAINST THE
MARYLAND HOME IMPROVEMENT
GUARANTY FUND
ON ACCOUNT OF
ALLEGED VIOLATIONS OF
DAVID R. ZICHOS
BALTIMORE REHAB SERVICES, LLC

MARYLAND HOME

IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION

CASE NO. 07 (75) 2484

## <u>FINAL ORDER</u>

On this 22<sup>ND</sup> day of March, 2011, Panel B of the Maryland Home Improvement Commission ORDERS that:

- 1) Pursuant to Business Regulation Article, §8-408(b)(3)(i), Annotated Code of Maryland, the Claimant has provided the Commission with a copy of a final award in arbitration, dated October 7, 2008, with all rights of appeal exhausted, in which the arbitrator found on the merits that the conditions precedent to recovery, as set forth in Business Regulation Article, §8-405(a), Annotated Code of Maryland, have been met, and found that the Claimant sustained an actual loss of \$59,436.51.
- 2) Pursuant to Business Regulation Article, §8-405(e)(1), Annotated Code of Maryland, the Commission may not award more than \$20,000.00 from the Home Improvement Guaranty Fund for any one claim
- 3) The Commission directs payment from the Home Improvement Guaranty Fund of \$20,000.00 to the Claimant, Patricia W. Gore.

4) Pursuant to Business Regulation Article, §8-411(a), Annotated Code of Maryland, any

home improvement licenses held by the Respondent, David R. Zichos, t/a Baltimore Rehab Services,

LLC, shall be Suspended, and the Respondent shall be ineligible for any home improvement licenses,

until the Respondent has repaid any money paid from the Home Improvement Guaranty Fund

pursuant to this Order, with 10 percent annual interest.

5) The records and publications of the Maryland Home Improvement Commission shall

reflect this decision.

6) The payment to the Claimant from the Home Improvement Guaranty Fund shall be

authorized thirty (30) days from the date of this Order. During the thirty (30) day period, any

party may file an appeal of this decision to Circuit Court.

<u>Joseph</u> Tunney \_\_\_

Chair - Panel B