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- A. To let people know that there is a possibility
- 2 that they might be candidates to be more independent
- 3 from their glasses and contact lenses.
- Q. And in that KYW advertisement what were the 4
- 5 patients instructed to do to find out that
- information? 6
- 7 MS. NEWMAN: Do you remember?
- 8 MS. SANDS: Objection. 9 MR. LAPAT: Objection.
- 10 MS. NEWMAN: Do you remember, Doctor?
- 11 THE WITNESS: I think I remember.
- MS. NEWMAN: Tell him to the best of 12
  - your recollection.
  - A. I think they were instructed to call a phone
- 15 number for more information.
  - Q. What phone number was that? I mean, who owned
- that phone number? 17
- 18 MS. NEWMAN: I object to the form of 19
- "who owned it," but go ahead, you can answer. A. I don't know what number ran in the ad. 20
- 21 Q. Doctor, who were they supposed to call? I
- know there was a number, but who was being called at 22
- 23 the other end of that number?
- 24 A. Nevyas Eye Associates.
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- - Q. Did the Food and Drug Administration ever give

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- what you could advertise?
- MS. NEWMAN: I'm going to object. I don't believe there is anything legally by the Food
- and Drug Administration having anything to do with monitoring a physician's advertising.
- Q. Doctor, what are the visual requirements for

you or Nevyas Eye Associates any parameters as to

- driving in Pennsylvania?
- 9 A. 20/50 or better in one eye. I'm not sure. 10
- 11 MS. NEWMAN: Is that an amendment to 12 vour answer?
- 13 THE WITNESS: It's an amendment to my 14 answer.
- 15 Q. Are you saying you don't know what the
- 16 requirements are for driving? 17 A. I'm saying that I think I just quoted the
- 18 requirements for night driving.
- Q. Let me get this straight. 20/50 vision in one 19
- 20 eye?
- 21 A. In one eye.
- 22 Q. 20/50 vision or better in one eye is the
- 23 requirement for night driving in Pennsylvania? 24 A. Yes.

- Q. What is the requirement for daytime driving in 1 2 Pennsylvania?
- 3 A. I'm not sure. 4 Q. What is the requirement for nighttime driving
- 5 in New Jersey?
- 6 I don't know. 7 What is the requirement for daytime driving in
- New Jersey? 8
- A. I don't know. 9 10 O. In April of 1998 were you aware of the
- 11 requirements but have since forgot, for example, in
- 12 either Pennsylvania or New Jersey? 13 MS. NEWMAN: Do you know what you have
- 14 forgotten is the question. A. I don't know what I've forgotten. 15
- 16 Q. When you first saw Mr. Morgan in 1998 was he
- working or not, do you have any recollection or can 18 you tell from your . . .
- 19 A. He was a computer worker is what I have 20 written here.
- 21 Was he working full time, part time? Do you
- have any indication of that?
- 22 23 A. No.

surgery?

Was he working daytime or nighttime?

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- 24 Q.

- 1 No. I don't have any indication. 2 Doctor, is LASIK surgery considered elective
- A. Yes. 5 Q. Are there any situations where LASIK surgery
- 6 is not elective surgery?
- 7 A. What do you mean by "elective"?
- 8 Q. Well, in your consent form that you use, do
- 9 you describe LASIK surgery as being elective or not?
- 10 A. (Examines documents.) Yes. 11 Q. Yes, you describe LASIK surgery as being what?
- 13 Q. Are there any circumstances where LASIK
- 14 surgery is not elective?
- 15 A.
- 16 Can LASIK surgery improve a patient's visual
- 17 acuity over his best corrected visual acuity before 18 the LASIK surgery?
- A. Can it ever? Has it ever? 19
- Q. Yes. 20
- 21 A. It's been reported.
- 22 Q. Did you tell that to Mr. Morgan?
- 23 I told him the opposite.
- 24 Q. What did you tell Mr. Morgan?