

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

Jayakrishnan Nair, et al.)	CASE # C19-1296-MJP
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Plaintiffs,)	
)	DECLARATION OF CHANELLE HOLLIS
v.)	
)	
Channa Copeland, et al.,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

I being over the age of 18 and competent to testify herein,
make the following declaration based on my personal
knowledge:

SEE MY ATTACHED STATEMENT.

I certify that the above is true and correct under
penalty of the perjury laws of Washington State.

Dated 2/10/2020 at Seattle, Washington.

Signature: /s/Chanelle Hollis

To Whosoever It May Concern

2/10/2020

My name is Chanelle Hollis, and I am a US Citizen over the age of 18. I have known Ms. Omana Thankamma and her son Mr. Jayakrishnan Nair for several (4+) years now as I have been an AirBnb Co-Host and maid for Mr. Nair's five investment homes in the eastside, as well as helping him as a housekeeper to take care of his mother and household chores. Ms. Thankamma loves her son and vice-versa, and I have always admired Mr. Nair as a very responsible and considerate son who does everything as best as he can for his mother's happiness and well being. Ms. Thankamma has always been happy, peaceful, well cared for and contented when staying with her son for all these years I have known the family.

On Feb 5 2020, I accompanied Mr. Nair to see Ms. Thankamma at Intensive Care Unit in Harborview, where she had been intubated. We spent nearly 4 hours there. When Mr. Nair called her, she was responsive and tried her best to respond verbally, but with the tube in her mouth she was not able to enunciate her words. However it was clear she was very enthusiastic to speak with him and excited and happy to meet him. She was very emotional and opened her eyes, tears rolled down her cheek as she beckoned to him with her right hand. She is quite alert, conscious and still has her wits with her. She did not want us to leave and was corresponding with Mr. Nair through non-verbal cues and facial expressions, and managed to keep her eyes open as much as she could despite being under the influence of heavy sedatives for her intubation.

Ms. Thankamma has always been very attached to Mr. Nair and seeing him made her outpour love and affection. She repeatedly wanted to grab Mr. Nair's hands and motioned with her fingers to come near her. She is capable of nonverbal communication, and from the fact she was trying hard to speak, I would guess she will be able to hold a conversation as usual without the tube.

I hope that Ms. Thankamma is speedily allowed to return to her kith and kin in India, and to be able to spend as much time as possible with Family, especially her dear son, which I know is what she enjoys the most in her life. She is a devoted mother, as much as Mr. Nair is a devoted son, and I wish their family all the best. They always pamper each other with love, and on 2/10 it was no different as Ms. Thankamma is happiest when she is interacting with her son. who she loves more than her own life, from my inference over years.



Chanelle Hollis