**SOCIAL SECURITY DISABILITY APPEAL LETTER**

Dear Mr. Drake,

My name is Jennifer Long, and I am writing to appeal my denial for disability benefits dated September 20, 20XX. I applied because I have been unable to maintain a job since my surgery to remove a brain tumor almost 2 years ago. I have tried extremely hard to work, but my vision is blurred and glasses do not help, my hand-eye coordination is very poor which prevents me from driving a vehicle and I have tremendous difficulty concentrating on tasks that are assigned to me.As a last resort I applied for disability because I have 2 children and my husband does not make enough money as a courier to support all of us. We have had to borrow money from family some months to pay our rent and utilities.

I have attached my medical records showing the damage done to my brain from the malignant tumor and the strong treatments. Also attached are results of tests showing my abnormal brain functions which have affected my hand-eye coordination, vision and ability to concentrate. There is also a letter from my physician explaining that in his opinion I am unable to work. I have included my husband’s W-2 form as well showing his income last year and the number of hours he worked.

Please reconsider my disability claim that you denied on September 20, 20XX using this additional information. I would like nothing better than to work, but my efforts for the last 2 years have been unsuccessful. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Long

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