

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA**

In re: GUIDANT CORP. IMPLANTABLE
DEFIBRILLATORS PRODUCTS
LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL No. 05-1708 (DWF/AJB)

This Document Relates to:

Steven H. Thompson,

Plaintiff,

v. Civil No. 06-2581 (DWF/AJB)

Guidant Corporation; Guidant Sales
Corporation; Cardiac Pacemakers, Inc.; and
Boston Scientific Corporation,

Defendants.

**ORDER FOR DISMISSAL
WITH PREJUDICE**

On June 22, 2006, Plaintiff Steven H. Thompson's counsel of record filed a Complaint by Adoption.

On April 8, 2008, Plaintiff, by and through his counsel of record, filed a Stipulation of Dismissal With Prejudice (MDL No. 05-1708 (DWF/AJB), Doc. No. 2731; Civ. No. 06-2581 (DWF/AJB), Doc. No. 8), pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1).

After consideration of the submissions and review of the procedural history of the file, the Court hereby enters the following:

ORDER

Based upon the Stipulation, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that all claims of Plaintiff Steven H. Thompson (Civ. No. 06-2581 (DWF/AJB)) against all named Defendants are **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE** in their entirety, and each party shall bear its own costs.

LET JUDGMENT BE ENTERED ACCORDINGLY.

Dated: April 10, 2008

s/Donovan W. Frank
DONOVAN W. FRANK
Judge of United States District Court