

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE  
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

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DISTRICT JUDGE

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July 14, 2010

**BY U.S. MAIL**

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**Re: In re: GUIDANT CORP. IMPLANTABLE DEFIBRILLATORS  
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION  
MDL No. 05-1708 (DWF/AJB)**

***David Alexander, et al., v. Guidant, et al., Civ. No. 07-2897 (DWF/AJB)***

Dear Mr. Conlin:

I recently received correspondence from your client, Gloria Bachemin, regarding the claims of her husband, Wayne Bachemin. As you can see from the letter, it appears that Ms. Bachemin has some questions and concerns regarding her settlement. As the sitting judge on this matter, it would be inappropriate for me to offer Ms. Bachemin legal advice. Thus, I ask that you contact Ms. Bachemin within three days of receiving this letter so that you can address her concerns.

I am copying Ms. Bachemin, as well as counsel for Guidant and the PLC, so that they are aware of our communication. Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

s/Donovan W. Frank

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