

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA
THIRD DIVISION

IN RE: GUIDANT CORP. IMPLANTABLE
DEFIBRILLATORS PRODUCT LIABILITY
LITIGATION

MDL NO. 1708
(DWF/AJB)

AUTHORIZATION TO PAY FEES AND EXPENSES
OF CLAIMS ADMINISTRATOR

The Special Master and Assistant Special Master authorized, direct and order, under the provisions of Section II A.4 of the Master Settlement Agreement, that the statement of Analytics Incorporated, dated February 12, 2008, which is attached hereto as Exhibit 1, be paid by the Escrow Agent out of the Settlement Fund Escrow Account (SFEA).

This 26th day of February, 2008.

s/ Arthur J. Boylan
ARTHUR J. BOYLAN
United States Magistrate Judge
Special Master
636 U.S. Courthouse
316 North Robert Street, Room 9E
St. Paul, MN 55101
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s/ Patrick A. Juneau
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18750 Lake Drive East
Chanhassen, MN 55317

Patrick Juneau
Juneau Law Firm
1018 Harding Street
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February 12, 2008
In Reference To: Guidant MDL - (923.00)

| <u>Date</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Amount</u> | <u>Balance</u> |
|-------------|--------------------|---------------|------------------|
| 2/12/2008 | Invoice #4672 | 25,611.44 | 25,611.44 |
| | Ending Balance | | <u>25,611.44</u> |
| | Amount Due | | <u>25,611.44</u> |

Analytics Incorporated18750 Lake Drive East
Chanhassen, MN 55317*Invoice submitted to:*Patrick Juneau
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February 12, 2008

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| | <u>Hrs/Rate</u> | <u>Amount</u> |
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| 12/17/2007 Senior Management Initial meeting regarding settlement. Attend hearing. | 2.50 200.00/hr | 500.00 |
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| 12/18/2007 Senior Management Meetings - Escrow agreement and project planning. Email sample documents to attorneys. Meetings with IT team re: implementation. | 3.00 200.00/hr | 600.00 |
| Senior Management Meetings - Escrow agreement and project planning. Email sample documents to attorneys. Meetings with IT team re: implementation. | 2.00 200.00/hr | 400.00 |
| Senior Management Meeting at Zimmerman Reed offices regarding engagement and availability of data. | 3.00 200.00/hr | 600.00 |
| Senior Management Meeting at Zimmerman Reed offices regarding engagement and availability of data. | 3.00 200.00/hr | 600.00 |
| 12/19/2007 Systems Analyst/Programmer Project design meeting. | 1.00 115.00/hr | 115.00 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Project design meeting. | 1.00 115.00/hr | 115.00 |
| Senior Management Conference call regarding escrow agreement. | 1.00 200.00/hr | 200.00 |

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| 12/19/2007 Senior Management Conference call regarding escrow agreement. Follow-up meetings and calls re: financial institutions. | 1.00 200.00/hr | 200.00 |
| Senior Management Prepare for and conduct staff meeting regarding project design and outline. Includes project flow, data issues, data import and timing, and expectations. | 4.00 200.00/hr | 800.00 |
| Project Management Project design meeting. | 1.00 125.00/hr | 125.00 |
| Project Management Project design meeting. | 1.00 125.00/hr | 125.00 |
| Accountant Teleconference regarding establishing escrow and bank accounts. Acquire tax ID number. | 3.00 125.00/hr | 375.00 |
| 12/20/2007 Project Management Teleconference regarding Medicare and Medicaid liens. | 1.00 125.00/hr | 125.00 |
| Senior Management Review and comment on escrow agreement. | 3.00 200.00/hr | 600.00 |
| Project Management Teleconference regarding Medicare and Medicaid liens. | 0.75 125.00/hr | 93.75 |
| 12/21/2007 Project Management Attend lien teleconference. Case research. | 1.00 125.00/hr | 125.00 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Guidant planning meeting to discuss security and access levels for internal and external users. | 1.50 115.00/hr | 172.50 |
| Project Management Attend lien teleconference. | 0.50 200.00/hr | 100.00 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Guidant planning meeting to discuss security and access levels for internal and external users. | 1.50 115.00/hr | 172.50 |
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| Accountant Attend lien teleconference and follow-up on items discussed. | 1.25 125.00/hr | 156.25 |
| Project Management Attend lien teleconference. | 0.50 125.00/hr | 62.50 |

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| 12/26/2007 Systems Analyst/Programmer Initial data import. | 0.75 115.00/hr | 86.25 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Initial data and requirements import. | 1.25 115.00/hr | 143.75 |
| 12/27/2007 Systems Analyst/Programmer Systems programming. | 1.75 115.00/hr | 201.25 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Systems programming. | 4.00 115.00/hr | 460.00 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Systems programming. | 2.00 115.00/hr | 230.00 |
| Project Management Prepare for phone calls and respond to potential class member questions. | 0.50 125.00/hr | 62.50 |
| 12/28/2007 Systems Analyst/Programmer Systems programming. | 3.00 115.00/hr | 345.00 |
| 12/29/2007 Accountant Preparation of tax return and coordination of tax payment. | 5.50 125.00/hr | 687.50 |
| 1/2/2008 Technical Request and install certification for the Guidant web page. | 2.00 75.00/hr | 150.00 |
| 1/3/2008 Systems Analyst/Programmer Meeting to plan smart cards for VPN access. | 1.08 115.00/hr | 124.07 |
| 1/4/2008 Project Management Update project planning. | 0.25 125.00/hr | 31.25 |
| 1/7/2008 Systems Analyst/Programmer Configure and test secure methods. | 16.00 115.00/hr | 1,840.00 |
| 1/9/2008 Systems Analyst/Programmer Configure database and applications on Guidant server. Configure file system to store project source data, uploaded files and application files. Design application. | 6.00 115.00/hr | 690.00 |
| 1/10/2008 Systems Analyst/Programmer Planning - Guidant specific dual layer authentication. | 1.00 115.00/hr | 115.00 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Finish data import. Design application. | 7.50 115.00/hr | 862.50 |
| Senior Management Review and approve data contents, transformation and transition plan. | 4.00 200.00/hr | 800.00 |

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| 1/10/2008 Senior Management Review and approve data contents/QA review of conversion and transition of data. | 4.00 200.00/hr | 800.00 |
| 1/14/2008 Systems Analyst/Programmer Meeting regarding data import & processes. | 1.00 115.00/hr | 115.00 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Meeting regarding data import & processes. Normalize database. Meeting with Senior Project Management to discuss project plan. | 1.50 115.00/hr | 172.50 |
| Senior Management Meeting regarding data import & processes. | 0.50 200.00/hr | 100.00 |
| Senior Management Prepare for conference call, including meetings with staff re: status. Directions to staff re: data QA. Email to EAP regarding status of data and updates to database. | 2.00 200.00/hr | 400.00 |
| 1/15/2008 Project Management Prepare for and attend teleconference. | 2.00 125.00/hr | 250.00 |
| Senior Management Prepare for and attend teleconference. Follow-up with staff regarding project planning and status | 1.50 200.00/hr | 300.00 |
| Technical Configuration and test of Guidant web site. | 0.40 75.00/hr | 30.00 |
| Project Management Attend teleconference and plan next steps in process. | 1.50 125.00/hr | 187.50 |
| Technical Revisions to web site. Contact link re: Guidant Settlement. | 0.15 75.00/hr | 11.25 |
| Senior Management Prepare for and attend teleconference. Follow-up with staff regarding project planning and status | 1.50 200.00/hr | 300.00 |
| 1/17/2008 Project Management Configuration and test of pin numbers for external data access. | 0.50 125.00/hr | 62.50 |
| Project Management Review case materials. | 2.00 125.00/hr | 250.00 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Configuration and testing of HIPAA compliant authentication process. | 2.00 115.00/hr | 230.00 |
| 1/18/2008 Senior Management Brief call with SHB re: reporting of tax payment to PSC and Defendants. Email to parties confirming payment of 2007 estimated taxes. | 0.25 200.00/hr | 50.00 |

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| 1/18/2008 Project Management Llalse with IT regarding case action points. | 0.50 125.00/hr | 62.50 |
| Project Management Manage project planning. | 0.50 125.00/hr | 62.50 |
| 1/21/2008 Project Management Prepare for and attend teleconference. | 0.50 125.00/hr | 62.50 |
| Project Management Attend phone conference with Garretson Law Firm. | 0.50 125.00/hr | 62.50 |
| Senior Management Prepare for and attend teleconference and follow-up meeting. | 1.00 200.00/hr | 200.00 |
| Project Management Attend phone conference with Garretson Law Firm. | 1.50 125.00/hr | 187.50 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Program Guidant application. Prepare for and attend teleconference. | 4.25 115.00/hr | 488.75 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Prepare for and attend teleconference. | 0.50 115.00/hr | 57.50 |
| 1/22/2008 Project Management Follow up on project Initiation issues. | 0.50 125.00/hr | 62.50 |
| Project Management Prepare for and attend teleconference. | 0.50 125.00/hr | 62.50 |
| Project Management Attend teleconference. | 0.25 125.00/hr | 31.25 |
| Senior Management Prepare for and attend conference call. After call, follow-up with EP from Zimmerman Reed re: data status. Follow-up with staff regarding project planning and status | 2.00 200.00/hr | 400.00 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Design and implement internal application. | 1.95 115.00/hr | 223.71 |
| 1/23/2008 Systems Analyst/Programmer Design active directory logln. | 0.75 115.00/hr | 86.25 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Implementation of Guidant processing application. | 6.00 115.00/hr | 690.00 |
| 1/24/2008 Systems Analyst/Programmer Configure Guidant mass email system. | 1.25 115.00/hr | 143.75 |

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| 1/24/2008 Project Management Follow up on attorney email project. | 0.50 125.00/hr | 62.50 |
| 1/25/2008 Systems Analyst/Programmer Guidant status meeting. | 0.50 115.00/hr | 57.50 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Prepare mass email to all Guidant lawyers re: liens. | 1.75 115.00/hr | 201.25 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Data preparation and cleansing for Guidant attorney notification. | 3.50 115.00/hr | 402.50 |
| Project Management Follow up on attorney email project. | 1.50 125.00/hr | 187.50 |
| 1/28/2008 Systems Analyst/Programmer Data cleansing and analysis. | 6.50 115.00/hr | 747.50 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Preparation of weekly Status report. | 0.50 115.00/hr | 57.50 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Prepare attorney emails. | 2.15 115.00/hr | 247.25 |
| Project Management Follow up on attorney email project. | 1.50 125.00/hr | 187.50 |
| 1/29/2008 Systems Analyst/Programmer Seperate lawyer data from the settlement consideration data and match to the master list received. Working on the internal application. | 5.00 115.00/hr | 575.00 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Email configuration and programming - bulk emails to attorney with copies to administrators. | 1.00 115.00/hr | 115.00 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Data cleansing and analysis. | 7.15 115.00/hr | 822.25 |
| Project Management Finalize updates to attorney email list and coordinate lien administrator email contacts. | 1.50 125.00/hr | 187.50 |
| Project Management Coordinate, record and test IVR application. | 2.00 125.00/hr | 250.00 |
| Project Management Prepare for and attend weekly phone conference. | 1.00 125.00/hr | 125.00 |
| Technical Configure Interactive Voice Response System - re:settlement | 1.00 75.00/hr | 75.00 |

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| 1/29/2008 Senior Management Approval regarding content and format of mass email re: lien release. | 0.75 200.00/hr | 150.00 |
| 1/30/2008 Technical Implementation of IVR application. | 1.00 75.00/hr | 75.00 |
| Project Management Test phone lines and update project processing plan. | 0.50 125.00/hr | 62.50 |
| Project Management Training of call center personnel. | 3.00 125.00/hr | 375.00 |
| 1/31/2008 Project Management Discuss and plan processing applications. | 0.50 125.00/hr | 62.50 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Created requirements documentation. | 1.00 115.00/hr | 115.00 |
| Project Management Meeting with IT re: processes. | 1.00 125.00/hr | 125.00 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Requirements meeting with Project Manager. | 1.25 115.00/hr | 143.75 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Implementation of SCF release. | 0.80 115.00/hr | 92.00 |
| Systems Analyst/Programmer Revisions to dual layer authentication process. | 0.80 115.00/hr | 92.00 |
| For professional services rendered | 188.98 | \$25,600.03 |
| Additional Charges : | | |
| 1/9/2008 Fed Ex to Scott Dupree | | 11.41 |
| Total costs | | \$11.41 |
| Total amount of this bill | | \$25,611.44 |
| Balance due | | \$25,611.44 |

Invoices are due within 30 days.