

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA**

IN RE: STRYKER REJUVENATE AND
ABG II HIP IMPLANT PRODUCTS
LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL No. 13-2441 (DWF/BRT)

This Document Relates to:

ROBERT A. COFFIN,

Plaintiff,

v. Civil No. 15-2994 (DWF/BRT)

HOWMEDICA OSTEONICS CORP., d/b/a
STRYKER ORTHOPAEDICS, STRYKER
CORP., STRYKER SALES
CORPORATION and STRYKER IRELAND
LIMITED,

Defendants.

ORDER

On April 3, 2020, the Court entered an order in the above captioned matter, *Robert A. Coffin v. Howmedica Osteonics Corp., d/b/a Stryker Orthopaedics, Stryker Corp., Stryker Sales Corporation and Stryker Ireland Limited*, (MDL No. 13-2441 (DWF/BRT), Doc. No. [1741]; Civil No. 15-2994 (DWF/BRT), Doc. No. [9]), requiring service of documentary proof of decedent's legal estate appointed representative, legal successor or personal representative with authority to act on behalf of the decedent's estate by April 17, 2020. Also, by that same date, the legal representative, if any, was ordered to respond regarding a potential dismissal of this matter commenced by decedent Robert A. Coffin who apparently died unrevised. If no response was provided, then the

Court noted that the pending motion to withdraw would be granted and the matter would be dismissed without further notice. To date, the required response, including documentation of legal status, has not been provided.

ACCORDINGLY, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. Current counsel's motion to withdraw is **GRANTED**; and
2. The *Robert A. Coffin v. Howmedica Osteonics Corp., d/b/a Stryker Orthopaedics, Stryker Corp., Stryker Sales Corporation and Stryker Ireland Limited* matter is hereby **DISMISSED** in its entirety without prejudice to re-filing in this multidistrict litigation, and without costs to any party.

Dated: April 22, 2020

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