

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO
Judge Robert E. Blackburn**

Civil Case No. 09-cv-02857-REB-MEH

AMERICAN REPUBLIC INSURANCE COMPANY, an Iowa corporation,

Plaintiff,

v.

GREAT-WEST LIFE & ANNUITY INSURANCE COMPANY, a Colorado corporation,

Defendant.

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

Blackburn, J.

The matter before me is the **Joint Stipulation For Dismissal With Prejudice** [#59] filed August 23, 2010. After reviewing both the stipulation and the file, I conclude that the stipulation should be approved and that this action should be dismissed with prejudice.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED as follows:

1. That the **Joint Stipulation For Dismissal With Prejudice** [#59] filed August 23, 2010, is **APPROVED**;
2. That the Trial Preparation Conference set for November 19, 2010 is **VACATED**;
3. That the jury trial set to commence December 6, 2010, is **VACATED**; and
4. That this action is **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE** with the parties to pay their own attorney fees and costs.

Dated August 23, 2010, at Denver, Colorado.

BY THE COURT:



Robert E. Blackburn
United States District Judge