## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO Honorable Marcia S. Krieger

Civil Action No. 11-cv-02736-MSK-KMT

THERESA THOMAS-WALSH; and PATRICK WALSH,

Plaintiffs,

v.

MERCK & CO., INC., a New Jersey corporation; MERCK SHARP & DOHME CORP., a New Jersey corporation; GLAXOSMITHKLINE, LLC, a Delaware corporation; GENENTECH, INC., a Delaware corporation; HOFFMANN-LA ROCHE, INC.; ROCHE LABORATORIES, INC., a Delaware corporation; and NOVARTIS PHARMACEUTICALS CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation,

Defendants.

## **ORDER OF RECUSAL**

THIS MATTER arises *sua sponte*. The undersigned is a beneficiary of a trust whose

assets include shares in one of the parties. Accordingly, the undersigned has a financial interest

in a party to the proceeding, and 28 U.S.C. § 455(b)(4) and the CODE OF CONDUCT FOR UNITED

STATES JUDGES require her recusal in this matter

Accordingly, the undersigned hereby **RECUSES** herself from hearing this matter.

The Clerk shall randomly reassign this case to another judge of this Court.

DATED this 31<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2011.

**BY THE COURT:** 

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Marcia S. Krieger United States District Judge