UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

Dave Thomas,

Civil No. 11-839 (DWF/LIB)

Plaintiff.

v.

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

United States Steel Corporation; United Steelworkers Union International; United Steel Workers District 33; United Steelworkers Local 1938; John Malec; United Steel, Paper and Forestry, Rubber, Manufacturing, Energy, Allied Industrial and Service Workers International Union: and John Malek.

Defendants.

The above matter comes before the Court upon the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge Leo I. Brisbois dated June 1, 2012 (Doc. No. 31). No objections have been filed to that Report and Recommendation in the time period permitted. Based upon the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge, the stipulation of the parties (Doc. No. 30), and upon all of the files, records, and proceedings herein, the Court now makes and enters the following Order.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Count III of the First Amended Complaint (the Whistleblower claim) (Doc. No. [16]) is **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE** and on the merits, without fees or costs to date to any party.

Dated: June 20, 2012 s/Donovan W. Frank

DONOVAN W. FRANK

United States District Judge