IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

ROBERT FORD,	:	Civil Action No. 4:14-CV-1780
Plaintiff,	:	(Judge Brann)
V.		(Magistrate Judge Schwab)
JOHNSON & JOHNSON, et. al.,	:	
Defendants.	• : :	

ORDER

April 13, 2015

The Court has conducted a *de novo* review of the thorough report and recommendation of the magistrate judge. The Court finds that after reviewing the well known '*Poulis* factors,' dismissal is the appropriate sanction for failure to prosecute and failure to comply with a court order pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(b). *See Poulis v. State Farm Fire & Casualty Co.*, 747 F.2d 863 (3d Cir. 1984).

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The March 11, 2015 report and recommendation of Magistrate Judge Susan E. Schwab is ADOPTED. ECF No. 25.
- 2. The complaint is dismissed with prejudice for failure to prosecute and

failure to comply with a court order pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(b).

3. The clerk is directed to close the case file.

BY THE COURT:

<u>s/ Matthew W. Brann</u> Matthew W. Brann United States District Judge