## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

RENEE LEMPKE, Individually and as the Executrix of the Estate of Robert Lempke, Deceased

Plaintiff,

VS.

No. 2:11-cv-01236-GLL

OSMOSE UTILITIES SERVICES, INC., and A.B. CHANCE COMPANY, ET AL. Defendants.

RENEE LEMPKE,

Individually and as the Executrix of the Estate of ROBERT LEMPKE, deceased,

Plaintiff,

No. 2:11-cv-01237-GLL

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GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY, et al., Defendants.

## STIPULATION OF DISMISSAL

- 1. All claims, cross-claims and counterclaims asserted against Defendants Cooper Busman, LLC, Cooper Busman, Inc. and Cooper Industries, Inc. ("Cooper") alleging claims of negligence or strict liability related to the manufacture, design and/or distribution of a defective fuse in the above-referenced action shall be discontinued and ended without prejudice;
- 2. Each of the parties, by and through their respective counsel, hereby represent that there is no evidence causally connecting, in whole or in part, the injuries suffered by Plaintiff's decedent with the actions or conduct of Cooper and that no claims of liability or fault shall hereafter be made, directly or indirectly, against Cooper as it relates to the manufacture, design and/or distribution of a defective fuse by any of the parties hereto, including any and all claims, crossclaims, counterclaims or third party claims;

- 3. In the event information is discovered that implicates potential liability of Cooper prior to the conclusion of trial or other resolution/disposition of this matter by settlement or otherwise; Plaintiff reserves the right to re-file Plaintiff's Complaint against Cooper. In that event, Cooper agrees to waive the defense that the Statute of Limitations has expired;
- 4. This Stipulation does not constitute, nor shall it be deemed to be, a Release of any kind whatsoever;
- 5. The sole purpose of this Stipulation is to discontinue and end all claims against Cooper only, without prejudice;
- 6. This Stipulation shall have no effect on Plaintiff's claims against any remaining defendant in the action, and shall not serve as a basis for a defense or argument at the time of trial;
- 7. The action shall continue as to all remaining defendants;
- 8. The caption is hereby amended to omit reference to Defendants Cooper Busman, LLC, Cooper Busman, Inc. and Cooper Industries, Inc.; and
- 9. This Stipulation may be signed in counterparts.

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SO ORDERED, this

day of March, 2012.

Mon. Gary L. Lancaster, Chief U.S. District Judge