## In the United States Court of Federal Claims

## OFFICE OF SPECIAL MASTERS

No. 15-279V Filed: December 21, 2015

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BRITTANY STALLINGS BENOIT. as mother and natural guardian, and ARSENE BENOIT, as father and natural guardian of GABRIEL CASH BENOIT,

Petitioners,

V.

SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES,

Respondent.

UNPUBLISHED

Special Master Hamilton-Fieldman

Voluntary dismissal under

Vaccine Rule 21(a).

Jeffrey S. Pop, Beverly Hills, CA, for Petitioners.

Glenn MacLeod, United States Department of Justice, Washington, DC, for Respondent.

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## ORDER CONCLUDING PROCEEDINGS<sup>1</sup>

On March 18, 2015, Brittany Stallings and Arsene Benoit ("Petitioners") filed a petition for compensation on behalf of their minor son, Gabriel Cash Benoit, under the National Childhood Vaccine Injury Act of 1986, 42 U.S.C. §§ 300aa-1 et seq. (2006) ("Vaccine Act"). Petitioners alleged that the administration of Diphtheria-Tetanus-acellular- Pertussis ("DTaP"), Haemophilus influenza type B ("HiB"), Polio, Pneumococcal, Rotavirus, and Hepatitis B ("Hep B") vaccines on March 29, 2013 caused Gabriel Benoit to suffer from injuries that resulted in his death.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Because this unpublished Order contains a reasoned explanation for the action in this case, the undersigned intends to post this decision on the United States Court of Federal Claims' website, in accordance with the E-Government Act of 2002, Pub. L. No. 107-347, § 205, 116 Stat. 2899, 2913 (codified as amended at 44 U.S.C. § 3501 and note (2006)). In accordance with Vaccine Rule 18(b), a party has 14 days to identify and move to delete medical or other information, that satisfies the criteria in § 300aa-12(d)(4)(B). Further, consistent with the rule requirement, a motion for redaction must include a proposed redacted decision. If, upon review, the undersigned agrees that the identified material fits within the requirements of that provision, such material will be deleted from public access.

On November 13, 2015, the undersigned issued a Notice informing Petitioners that 240 days had passed since their petition was filed, and that they had the option of continuing or withdrawing their petition. On December 14, 2015, Petitioners filed a Notice of Withdrawal of the Petition pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 300aa-21(b).

Pursuant to Vaccine Rule 21(a), the above-captioned case is hereby **dismissed**. The Clerk of Court is hereby instructed that a **judgment shall not enter** in the instant case pursuant to Vaccine Rule 21(a).

## **CONCLUSION**

Proceedings are concluded in this case.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/Lisa D. Hamilton-Fieldman Lisa D. Hamilton-Fieldman Special Master