

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
CASE NO.: 08-01928-MIDDLEBROOKS/JOHNSON**

IN RE TRASYLOL PRODUCTS  
LIABILITY LITIGATION - MDL -1928

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:

*George Allen v. Bayer Corp., et al.*,  
Case No: 09-82033

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO  
WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL OF RECORD**

[DE 13041 in 08-1928 and DE 33 in 09-82033]

THIS CAUSE comes before the Court on the motion to withdraw as counsel of record filed by counsel for the Plaintiff [DE 13041 in 08-1928 and DE 33 in 09-82033] (the "Motion"). The Court has reviewed the record and is otherwise fully informed of the premises.

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the Motion [DE 13041 in 08-1928 and DE 33 in 09-82033] be and is hereby GRANTED as follows:

1. Counsel for the Plaintiff shall be relieved of all further responsibilities related to the Plaintiff in these proceedings forty-five (45) days after entry of this Order; and
2. Within ten (10) days of entry of this Order, withdrawing counsel shall send to the Plaintiff's last known address(es) a copy of this Order. Counsel shall file a notice with the Court certifying that this Orders was sent, on what date, and to what address(es);
3. The Plaintiff must enter his or her appearance *pro se* in writing or file a written substitution of counsel withing forty-five (45) days of entry of this Order; and
4. If the Plaintiff fails to appear *pro se* or with new counsel within forty-five (45) days of entry of this Order, the Court may dismiss

Plaintiff's claims without prejudice on its own motion or upon motion by the Defendants.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at West Palm Beach, Florida, this 7th day of August, 2012.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Donald M. Middlebrooks". The signature is cursive and somewhat stylized.

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DONALD M. MIDDLEBROOKS  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

cc: counsel of record