

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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IN RE: VITAMINS ANTITRUST)
LITIGATION)

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Misc. No. 99-197 (TFH)

MDL No. 1285

THIS DOCUMENT APPLIES TO:)
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ORDER

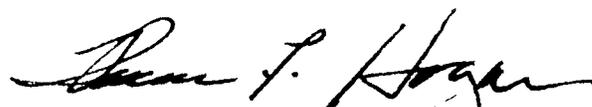
Pending before the Court is Plaintiffs' Motion to Clarify Order of April 4, 2002 and to Compel Defendants to Produce their "Other Written Communications" to Governmental Authorities. Upon careful consideration of the Plaintiffs' Motion, Defendants' Opposition, the entire record herein, and for substantially the same reasons as set forth in the Special Master's January 11, 2002 Report and Recommendations affirmed by the Court by Order of April 4, 2002, it is hereby

ORDERED that Plaintiff's Motion is **GRANTED**. It is further hereby

ORDERED that Defendants F. Hoffman-LaRoche Ltd., BASF AG, Rhone-Poulenc S.A., and Rhone-Poulenc Animal Nutrition S.A. shall produce their "other written communications" to governmental authorities, with the exception of Canada, no later than August 5, 2002.

SO ORDERED.

August 1, 2002



Thomas F. Hogan
Chief Judge

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