

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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	)	Misc. No. 99-0197 (TFH)
THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:	)	
Pharmavite Corp. v. Hoffman-LaRoche, et al.	)	Civil Action No. 00-1027 (TFH)
Case No. 00-02764 (C.D.Cal.)	)	
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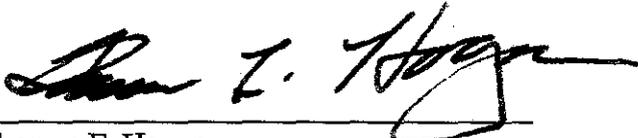
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U.S. DISTRICT COURT

**ORDER DISMISSING  
RHONE-POULENC S.A., AVENTIS S.A.  
AND RHONE-POULENC, INC.  
WITH PREJUDICE**

This matter being presented to the Court in connection with Pharmavite Corporation's motion to dismiss defendants Rhone-Poulenc S.A., Aventis S.A. and Rhone-Poulenc, Inc., with prejudice, it is hereby:

ORDERED that the Amended Complaint of Pharmavite Corporation in this action is dismissed with prejudice solely against defendants Rhone-Poulenc S.A., Aventis S.A. and Rhone-Poulenc, Inc.. This order is without prejudice to, and does not affect, Pharmavite Corporation's rights or claims against any other defendant in this litigation.

Dated: Dec. 16, 2002

  
Thomas F. Hogan  
United States District Judge