UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

In re: STRYKER REJUVENATE AND ABGII HIP IMPLANT PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL No. 13-2441 (DWF/FLN)

This Document Relates to

Thomas Behel and Sharlie Behel,

Plaintiffs,

v. Civil No. 14-359 (DWF/FLN)

Howmedica Osteonics d/b/a Stryker Orthopeaedics; Stryker Corp.; Stryker Sales Corporation; and Stryker Ireland Limited,

Defendants.

ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO SUBSTITUTE PARTIES

Based upon Plaintiff Sharlie Behel's Motion to Substitute Parties (Civil No. 14-359 (DWF/FLN), Doc. No. 30), filed on February 1, 2016, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 25(a)(1), **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that:

The Motion to Substitute Parties (Civil No. 14-359 (DWF/FLN), Doc.
No. [30]) is GRANTED.

Plaintiff filed the Motion to Substitute Parties in the individual case, Civil No. 14-359 (DWF/FLN), Doc. No. 30. The motion should also have been filed in the master case, MDL No. 13-2441 (DWF/FLN).

2. Sharlie Behel, Executrix of the Estate of Thomas Behel, deceased, shall be **SUBSTITUTED** for Plaintiff Thomas Behel in this matter.

Dated: February 24, 2016 <u>s/Donovan W. Frank</u>

DONOVAN W. FRANK United States District Judge