

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

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IN RE: AVANDIA MARKETING, SALES  
PRACTICES AND PRODUCTS  
LIABILITY LITIGATION

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MDL NO. 1871  
07-md-1871

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:

*Bone, et al. v. SmithKline Beecham Corp. d/b/a  
GlaxoSmithKline, et al.*

2:08-cv-01726

*Boone v. GlaxoSmithKline, et al.*

2:08-cv-01981

*Bowles, et al. v. SmithKline Beecham Corp. d/b/a  
GlaxoSmithKline, et al.*

2:08-cv-01733

*Cross, et al. v. GlaxoSmithKline, et al.*

(Not yet docketed)

*Fisher v. SmithKline Beecham Corp. d/b/a  
GlaxoSmithKline, et al.*

2:08-cv-01729

*Hall v. SmithKline Beecham Corp. d/b/a  
GlaxoSmithKline, et al.*

2:08-cv-01727

*Hefner, et al. v. SmithKline Beecham Corp. d/b/a  
GlaxoSmithKline, et al.*

2:08-cv-01732

*Jefferson v. SmithKline Beecham Corp. d/b/a  
GlaxoSmithKline, et al.*

2:08-cv-01728

*Johnson, et al. v. GlaxoSmithKline, et al.*

2:08-cv-00835

*Khanna v. SmithKline Beecham Corp. d/b/a  
GlaxoSmithKline, et al.*

2:08-cv-02884

*Mitchell, et al. v. GlaxoSmithKline, et al.*

2:08-cv-04235

*Thornton v. SmithKline Beecham Corp. d/b/a  
GlaxoSmithKline, et al.*

2:08-cv-01730

*Upshaw v. SmithKline Beecham Corp. d/b/a  
GlaxoSmithKline, et al.*

2:08-cv-01731

**PRETRIAL ORDER NO. 31**

**AND NOW**, this 1st day of October, 2008, upon consideration of the filings of the parties with respect to the motions for remand pending in the above-captioned individual actions, including the “Notices of Supplemental Authority” received to date, it is hereby **ORDERED** that the parties are given leave to file such supplemental filings related to the diversity jurisdiction issues presented on or before **Wednesday, October 10, 2008**, after which the diversity matter shall be deemed submitted. This Order does not alter or amend the deadlines set forth in Pretrial Order 30 for supplemental filings on federal question jurisdiction. Further, as a general matter, Liaison Counsel and Steering Committee counsel are hereby advised that any future supplemental filings in support of motions may be made only with the Court’s leave.

It is so **ORDERED**.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Cynthia M. Rufe

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**CYNTHIA M. RUFÉ, J.**