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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA *et al.* EX REL. H. Edmund Pigott, Plaintiff-Relator, vs. FOREST PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., Defendant	§ § § § § § § § § § § § § § § §	Civil Action No. WMN-11-717 **FILED IN CAMERA** **AND UNDER SEAL** **PURSUANT TO** **31 U.S.C. § 3730** **DO NOT ENTER INTO PACER** **DO NOT ENTER IN CM/ECF** **DO NOT PLACE IN PRESS BOX**

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NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL WITHOUT PREJUDICE

Prior to service of the Complaint, an Answer, or any dispositive motion, Relator hereby files the instant notice voluntarily dismissing without prejudice the above-entitled case pursuant to Rule 41(a)(1)(i) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Pursuant to 31 U.S.C. § 3730(b)(1), an action brought under the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729 *et seq.* may be dismissed "only if the court and the Attorney General give written consent to the dismissal and their reasons for consenting." Relator has conferred with the United States and understands that the Unites States consents to this dismissal, so long as it is without prejudice. However, Relator expects the United States will file its own pleading confirming its consent to dismissal without prejudice in this matter.

" APPROVED " THIS 9th DAY
OF February, 2012

William Nickerson
SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE