

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

**IN RE: ABBOTT LABORATORIES, ET
AL., PRETERM INFANT NUTRITION
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION**

MDL NO. 3026

Master Docket No. 1:22-cv-00071

This Document Relates to:

Hon. Rebecca R. Pallmeyer

ALL ACTIONS

**ORDER PURSUANT TO CMO 7 IDENTIFYING
INITIAL BELLWETHER DISCOVERY CASES SELECTED BY DEFENDANTS**

In furtherance of Amended Case Management Order No. 7 [D.E. 210], the Court hereby approves the defendants' selections of Initial Bellwether Discovery Cases, as identified below.

a) Initial Bellwether Discovery Cases Selected by Defendants

In accordance with Amended CMO 7, Section III(4)(c), defendants selected the following four cases as Initial Bellwether Discovery Cases:

Case Name	Docket Number
<i>Clarke v. Abbott Laboratories, Mead Johnson & Company, LLC, Mead Johnson Nutrition Company</i>	1:22-cv-02006
<i>Cresap v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc.</i>	1:22-cv-01951
<i>Inman v. Mead Johnson & company, LLC et al.</i>	1:22-cv-03737
<i>Mar v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc.</i>	1:22:cv-00232

Discovery as to each of the cases referenced above shall commence immediately.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: December 1, 2022

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Rebecca R. Pallmeyer", written in a cursive style. The signature is positioned above a horizontal line.

HON. REBECCA R. PALLMEYER
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE