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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

IN RE: INCRETIN MIMETICS
PRODUCTS LIABILITY
LITIGATION

) MDL Case No.13md2452 AJB (MDD)
) As to all related and member cases
)
) ORDER FOLLOWING AUGUST 11,
) 2015, TELEPHONIC STATUS
) CONFERENCE AND GRANTING
) MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS
) COUNSEL OF RECORD IN CASE
) NO. 14cv1512
)
) (Doc. No. 11)

On August 11, 2015, at 2:00 p.m., the Court held a telephonic status conference in the above case. Persons appearing telephonically are listed as Court’s Exhibit 1 to the hearing. The following matters were discussed on the record.

I. Motion to Withdraw as Counsel

Following discussion on the record and good cause appearing, Plaintiffs’ counsels’ motion to withdraw as counsel in the individual case of *Savinar v. Amylin Pharmaceuticals, LLC, et al.*, Case No. 14cv1512, is **GRANTED**. Plaintiff Lorie Savinar will now proceed pro se. The Clerk of Court is directed to update the docket accordingly and remove Ryan L. Thompson and the Law Firm of Watts Guerra LLP as counsel of record for Plaintiff Lorie Savinar in the individual case only.

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1 **II. Hearing on Motions for Summary Judgment in MDL and JCCP Proceedings**

2 The parties have agreed to conduct joint oral argument regarding the pending
3 motions for summary judgment in these proceedings and Defendants' motion for
4 summary judgment in the Judicial Counsel Coordinated Proceedings ("JCCP") pending
5 before Judge Highberger of the Los Angeles County Superior Court. Having conferred
6 regarding the implementation of time limits for the presentation of argument, the Court
7 adopts the following schedule and order for argument at the motion hearing:

- 8 1. Defendants (MDL and JCCP combined): up to one hour total of
9 opening argument on the issues raised in the motions, inclusive of
10 responding to questions by the judges.
11 2. Plaintiffs (MDL and JCCP combined): up to one hour total of opening
12 argument on the issues raised in the motions, inclusive of re-
13 sponding to questions by the judges.
14 3. Defendants (MDL and JCCP combined): up to 30 minutes total of
15 responsive argument, inclusive of responding to questions by the
16 judges.
17 4. Plaintiffs (MDL and JCCP combined): up to 30 minutes total of
18 responsive argument, inclusive of responding to questions by the
19 judges.

20 The Court will not entertain additional rebuttal or reply argument by counsel for
21 any party, except as set forth above. Counsel for the sides should confer and allot and
22 schedule the time allowed. The Court will hold a further status conference in the MDL
23 proceedings, Case No. 13md2452, and the related thyroid cancer cases, consolidated
24 under Case No. 13cv1114, immediately following the motion hearing on September 11,
25 2015.

26 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

27 DATED: August 11, 2015

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Hon. Anthony J. Battaglia
U.S. District Judge