SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
LAW DIVISION: ATLANTIC COUNTY

In re: ACCUTANE® LITIGATION

Case No. _____

AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF PSYCHOLOGICAL/PSYCHIATRIC RECORDS PURSUANT TO 45 C.F.R. § 164.508 (HIPAA)

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Social Security Number: _____

I hereby authorize _____ to release all existing records and information regarding the above-named person's psychological or psychiatric care, treatment, condition(s) and/or expenses revealed by observation or treatment past, present and future to the below law firm(s):

☐ Baker, Donelson, Bearman, Caldwell & Berkowitz, P.C., Post Office Box 14167, Jackson, MS 39236 (Counsel for Cardinal Health 409, Inc. n/k/a Catalent Pharma Solutions, Inc.) and Pietragallo, Gordon, Alfano, Bosick & Raspanti, LLP, One Oxford Center, 38th Floor, Pittsburgh, PA 15219 (Counsel for the Mylan Defendants).

☐ Ulmer & Berne, LLP, 600 Vine Street, Suite 2800, Cincinnati, OH 45202-2409 (Counsel for the Barr Defendants).

☐ Duane Morris, LLP, 30 South 17th Street, Philadelphia, PA, 19103-4196 (Counsel for the Ranbaxy Defendants).

These records shall be used solely in connection with the currently pending litigation involving the person named above. This authorization shall cease to be effective as of the date on which that litigation concludes.

I understand that this authorization includes information regarding the diagnosis and treatment of psychiatric and psychological disorders, and that the health information being used/disclosed may include information relating to the diagnosis and treatment of Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV), Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS), sexually transmitted disease and drug and alcohol disorders.

This authorization also may include x-ray reports, CT scan reports, MRI scans, EEGs, EKGs, sonograms, arteriograms, fetal monitor strips, discharge summaries, photographs, surgery consent forms, informed consent forms regarding family planning, admission and discharge records, operation records, doctor and nurses notes (excluding psychotherapy notes maintained separately from the individual's medical records that document or analyze the contents of conversation during a private counseling session or a group, joint, or family counseling session by referring to something other than medication prescription and monitoring, counseling session start and stop times, the modalities and frequencies of treatment furnished, results of clinical tests, and any summary of the following items:

diagnosis, functional status, the treatment plan, symptoms, prognosis and progress), prescriptions, medical bills, invoices, histories, diagnoses, psychiatric treatment and counseling records, psychological treatment and counseling records, narratives, and any correspondence/memoranda and billing information. It also includes, to the extent such records currently exist and are in your possession, insurance records, including Medicare/Medicaid and other public assistance claims, applications, statements, eligibility material, claims or claim disputes, resolutions and payments, medical records provided as evidence of services provided, and any other documents or things pertaining to services furnished under Title XVII of the Social Security Act or other forms of public assistance (federal, state, local, etc.). This listing is not meant to be exclusive.

I understand that I have the right to revoke in writing my consent to this disclosure at any time, except to the extent that the above-named facility or provider already has taken action in reliance upon this authorization, or if this authorization was obtained as a condition(s) of obtaining insurance coverage. I further understand that the above-named facility or provider cannot condition(s) the provision of treatment, payment, enrollment in a health plan or eligibility for benefits on my provision of this authorization. I further understand that information disclosed pursuant to this authorization may be subject to redisclosure by the recipient to its clients, agents, employees, consultants, experts, the court, and others deemed necessary by the recipient to assist in this litigation.

Any photostatic copy of this document shall have the same authority as the original, and may be substituted in its place. Copies of these materials are to be provided at the expense of the firm checked above.

Dated this _____ day of _____,200_

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[Signature of Plaintiff or Representative]

If a representative, please describe your relationship to the plaintiff and your authority to act on his/her behalf:

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