

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CLEVELAND COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ex rel., MIKE HUNTER, ATTORNEY GENERAL OF OKLAHOMA,)))
Plaintiff,)
VS.	Case No. CJ-2017-816Judge Thad Balkman
 (1) PURDUE PHARMA L.P.; (2) PURDUE PHARMA, INC.; (3) THE PURDUE FREDERICK COMPANY; (4) TEVA PHARMACEUTICALS USA, INC.; (5) CEPHALON, INC.; (6) JOHNSON & JOHNSON; (7) JANSSEN PHARMACEUTICALS, INC; (8) ORTHO-MCNEIL-JANSSEN PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., n/k/a JANSSEN PHARMACEUTICALS; (9) JANSSEN PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.; (10) ALLERGAN, PLC, f/k/a ACTAVIS PLC, f/k/a ACTAVIS, INC., f/k/a WATSON 	Special Master: William Hetherington STATE OF UKLAHOMA CLEVELAND COUNTY FILED MAY 23 2018
PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.; (11) WATSON LABORATORIES, INC.; (12) ACTAVIS LLC; and (13) ACTAVIS PHARMA, INC., f/k/a WATSON PHARMA, INC.,) In the office of the) Court Clerk MARILYN WILLIAMS))
Defendants.)

THE STATE'S RESPONSE TO DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO AMEND ANSWERS

The State hereby responds to the *Motion to Amend Answers and Brief in Support* ("Motion") filed by Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc., Cephalon, Inc., Watson Laboratories, Inc., Actavis, LLC and Actavis Pharma, Inc., f/k/a Watson Pharma, Inc. (collectively, "Defendants"). The State acknowledges requests for leave to amend should be freely given in accordance with 12 O.S. § 2015(A). The State also acknowledges Defendants' *Motion* was filed prior to the amendment deadline set forth in the Court's Scheduling Order (June 29, 2018). As such, the State

does not object to Defendants' request to file their respective Amended Answers attached as Exhibits to their *Motion*.

However, by not objecting to the filing of Defendants' Amended Answers, the State is in no way waiving, releasing, relinquishing or forfeiting its right to contest or object to the propriety and validity of any defenses, affirmative defenses or allegations set forth therein. The State expressly reserves the right to move to strike and/or seek summary judgment on any and all of Defendants' affirmative defenses in accordance with the Court's Scheduling Order and applicable law.

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