

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CLEVELAND COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA

MIKE HUNTER, ATTORNEY GENERAL OF OKLAHOMA,	
Plaintiff,))
vs.	Case No. CJ-2017-816
(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., nlk/a JANSSEN PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.; (9) JANSSEN PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.; (10) ALLERGAN, PLC, f!k/a ACTAVIS PLC, f/k/aACTAVIS, INC., f/k/a WATSON PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.; (11) WATSON LABORATORIES, INC.; (12) ACTAVIS LLC; and (13) ACTAVIS PHARMA, INC.,	STATE OF OKLAHOMA S.S. FILED JUN 14 2019 In the office of the Court Clerk MARILYN WILLIAMS
Defendants.	

APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AMICUS BRIEF OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE MOTION FOR INTERVENTION AS A MATTER OF RIGHT PURSUANT TO

12 O.S. 2011, SECTION 2024

COME NOW, the Honorable J. Kevin Stitt, in his official capacity as Governor of the State of

Oklahoma, Charles A. McCall, in his official capacity as Speaker of the Oklahoma House of

Representatives, and Greg Treat, in his official capacity as the President Pro Tempore of the Oklahoma

State Senate ("Applicants"), all in their capacity as elected officials representing the people of the State of

Oklahoma on whose behalf the Attorney General filed the above entitled suit and request (i) permission of

the Court to consider this amicus brief in the above styled cause, or in the alternative (ii) an Order

allowing intervention as a matter of right pursuant 12 O.S. 2011, Section 2024.

Applicants are aware of a pending settlement agreement as between the State of Oklahoma and

Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc. and its subsidiaries and affiliates (the "Teva Defendants"). Applicants

file this Brief to address questions raised by this Court regarding the payment of monies by the Teva

Defendants as part of its settlement with the State of Oklahoma.

Wherefore, Applicants respectfully request that this Court grant leave to file an Amicus Brief for

the limited purpose of addressing the one issue raised by this Court regarding the applicability of the law

with regard to settlement proceeds or in the alternative grant the Applicants alternatively styled Motion to

Intervene for the same limited purpose.

Respectfully submitted.

Honorable Kevin Stitt

Governor of the State of Oklahoma

Honorable Charles McCall

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Honorable Greg Trea

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