

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION

IN RE: NATIONAL PRESCRIPTION)	CASE NO. 1:17-MD-2804
OPIATE LITIGATION)	
)	David R. Cohen
THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:)	Randi S. Ellis
"All Cases")	Hon. David R. Herndon
)	
)	<u>FEE PANEL ORDER NO. 3</u>
)	<u>REGARDING APPLICATION</u>
)	<u>DEADLINE FOR</u>
)	<u>CONTINGENCY FEE AWARDS</u>

As of the date of this Order, it is now the case that 25 Consent Judgments have been entered *with the Distributors*.¹ Accordingly, the Fee Panel hereby sets **May 27, 2022** as the deadline for submission of applications for awards from the *Distributors* Contingency Fee Fund.

It is not yet the case that 25 Consent Judgments have been entered *with Janssen*. The Fee Panel will set a deadline for submission of applications for awards from the *Janssen* Contingency Fee Fund shortly after the Janssen Fee Agreement becomes effective.

Nonetheless, the Fee Panel urges all counsel to submit *all* Contingent Fee Award applications as soon as possible. The sooner received, the sooner paid.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

/s/ David R. Cohen
Randi S. Ellis
David R. Herndon
FEE PANEL

Dated: May 13, 2022

¹ See <https://nationalopioidsettlement.com/consent-judgments/>