



IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF OHIO COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

IN RE: TOBACCO LITIGATION
(Individual Personal Injury Cases)

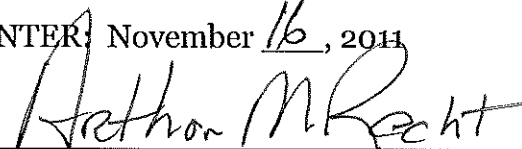
CIVIL ACTION NO. 00-C-5000
(Judge Arthur M. Recht)

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ORDER GRANTING "MOTION FOR LEAVE TO CONTACT JURORS"

On this day came Defendants, pursuant to their "Motion for Leave to Contact Jurors" in accordance with Rule 4.09 of the West Virginia Trial Court Rules. Upon consideration of the Motion and Certification attached thereto, and the relevant authorities, the Court **GRANTS** Defendants' Motion, thereby allowing each juror in this civil action, having been empaneled in the September 2011 term of Court and having been excused from further service by the Court on or before November 8, 2011, to hereafter be interviewed, with due restraint and decorum, by representatives of Defendants. The Parties' objections, if any, are hereby noted.

The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order to Liaison Counsel of Record.

ENTER: November 16, 2011

ARTHUR M. RECHT
Judge, Circuit Court of Ohio County

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