



IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF KANAWHA COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

IN RE: OPIOID LITIGATION

Civil Action No. 19-C-9000

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**ORDER REGARDING THE WEST VIRGINIA FIRST QUALIFIED SETTLEMENT
FUND QUARTERLY REPORT FOR THE QUARTER ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2023,
AND REQUEST FOR PAYMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS**

Now pending before the Court is the Quarterly Report for the West Virginia First Qualified Settlement Fund for the Quarter ended December 31, 2023, and request for payment of administrative costs, jointly filed by the Fund Administrator, Smith Cochran Hicks PLLC, and the Custodial Bank, the Huntington National Bank, on January 11, 2024 (Transaction ID 71788720). The Court has reviewed the Quarterly Report for the Quarter ended December 31, 2023, along with attached Exhibits.

There being no objection and finding good cause shown, the Court **GRANTS** the request and **ORDERS** payment of the Fund Administrator's fees for the Quarter ended December 31, 2023, in the total amount of Forty-One Thousand Eight Hundred Forty-Three Dollars and Seventy-Five Cents (\$41,843.75) from the investment income earned.

A copy of this Order has this day been electronically served on all counsel of record via File & ServeXpress.

It is so **ORDERED**.

ENTERED: January 29, 2024.

/s/ Alan D. Moats
Lead Presiding Judge
Opioid Litigation