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PLAINTIFF STATES' [PROPOSED] CONSOLIDATED AMENDED COMPLAINT

The States of Connecticut, Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Delaware, Florida, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Carolina, Tennessee, Utah, Vermont, Washington, West Virginia and Wisconsin, the Commonwealths of Kentucky, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Puerto Rico and Virginia, and the District of Columbia (the "Plaintiff States"), by and through their Attorneys General, bring this civil law enforcement action against Actavis Holdco U.S., Inc., Actavis Pharma, Inc., Ascend Laboratories, LLC, Apotex Corp., Aurobindo Pharma USA, Inc., Citron Pharma, LLC, Dr. Reddy's Laboratories, Inc., Emcure Pharmaceuticals, Ltd., Glenmark Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Heritage Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Lannett Company, Inc., Rajiv Malik, Mayne Pharma, Inc., Satish Mehta, Mylan Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Par Pharmaceutical Companies, Inc., Sandoz, Inc., Sun Pharmaceutical Industries, Inc., Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc., and Zydus Pharmaceuticals (USA), Inc. (collectively, the "Defendants") and allege as follows:

I. SUMMARY OF THE CASE

1. In July 2014, the State of Connecticut initiated a non-public investigation into suspicious price increases for certain generic pharmaceuticals. Over time, the investigation expanded and Connecticut was joined in its efforts by forty-five (45) additional states. As a result of the information and evidence developed through that investigation, which is still ongoing, the Plaintiff States allege that the Defendants, and several as-of-yet unnamed coconspirators, entered into numerous contracts, combinations and conspiracies that had the effect of unreasonably restraining trade, artificially inflating and maintaining prices and reducing

competition in the generic pharmaceutical industry throughout the United States, including but not limited to, the markets for the following fifteen (15) generic drugs: Acetazolamide, Doxycycline Hyclate Delayed Release, Doxycycline Monohydrate, Fosinopril-Hydrochlorothiazide, Glipizide-Metformin, Glyburide, Glyburide-Metformin, Leflunomide, Meprobamate, Nimodipine, Nystatin, Paromomycin, Theophylline, Verapamil and Zoledronic Acid.

2. Plaintiff States also allege that Defendants participated in an overarching conspiracy, the effect of which was to minimize if not thwart competition across the generic drug industry. The overarching conspiracy was effectuated by a series of conspiracies that affected and continue to affect the market for a number of generic drugs identified in this Consolidated Amended Complaint.

3. The Plaintiff States focus here on the role of these named Defendants and their participation in and agreement with this overarching conspiracy. The Complaint describes conspiracies regarding the sale of specific drugs, and how these specific conspiracies are also part of the larger overarching conspiracy. The Plaintiff States continue to investigate additional conspiracies, involving these and other generic manufacturers, regarding the sale of other drugs not identified in this Complaint, and will likely bring additional actions based on those conspiracies at the appropriate time in the future.

4. Defendants' illegal agreements have raised prices, maintained artificially inflated prices and frustrated the potential of the industry to deliver great value to Plaintiff States and those they represent. Generic drugs are pharmaceutically equivalent to the referenced brand name drug in dosage, form, route of administration, strength or concentration, and amount of active ingredient. Generic drugs can save (and have saved) consumers and other purchasers of

drugs tens of billions of dollars annually because generic drugs are a lower-priced alternative to brand name drugs. When the manufacturer of a branded drug loses the market exclusivity that comes with patent rights, generic drugs offer lower prices and greater access to healthcare for all consumers in the United States through genuine competition. A consumer with a prescription can fill that prescription not only with the brand name drug, but also with a generic version of that drug, if one is available. State laws often require pharmacists to fill prescriptions with generic versions of the drug.

5. Typically, when the first generic manufacturer enters a market for a given drug, the manufacturer prices its product slightly lower than the brand-name manufacturer. A second generic manufacturer's entry reduces the average generic price to nearly half the brand-name price. As additional generic manufacturers market the product, the prices continue to fall slowly. For drugs that attract a large number of generic manufacturers, the average generic price falls to 20% or less of the price of the branded drug.

6. Generic drugs were one of the few "bargains" in the United States healthcare system. Health care experts believe cost savings from the growing number of generic drugs helped keep the lid on increasing health care costs. With the Hatch-Waxman Act of 1984, Congress designed the generic drug market to keep costs low and the market initially operated that way.

7. At some point, that price dynamic changed for many generic drugs. Prices for dozens of generic drugs have risen – while some have skyrocketed, without explanation, sparking outrage from politicians, payers and consumers across the country whose costs have doubled, tripled, or even increased 1,000% or more. The growing outrage and public reports of unexplained and suspicious price increases caused the State of Connecticut to commence its

investigation in July of 2014. Shortly thereafter, Congress opened an inquiry and various companies acknowledged that a criminal grand jury investigation had been convened by the United States Department of Justice Antitrust Division.

8. Generic drug manufacturers argued publicly that the significant price increases were due to a myriad of benign factors, such as industry consolidation, FDA-mandated plant closures, or elimination of unprofitable generic drug product lines. What the Plaintiff States have found through their investigation, however, is that the reason underlying many of these price increases is much more straightforward, and sinister – illegal collusion among generic drug manufacturers. Prices of many generic pharmaceuticals were and remain artificially inflated through collusive bid rigging and market allocation agreements designed to prevent price wars from occurring when key competitive opportunities arise in the marketplace.

9. Generic drug manufacturers, through their senior leadership and marketing and sales executives, have routine and direct interaction. The Defendants exploited their interactions at various and frequent industry trade shows, customer conferences and other similar events, to develop relationships and sow the seeds for their illegal agreements. These anticompetitive agreements are further refined and coordinated at regular "industry dinners", "girls nights out", lunches, parties, frequent telephone calls, emails and text messages.

10. The anticompetitive conduct -- schemes to fix and maintain prices, allocate markets and otherwise thwart competition – has caused, and continues to cause, significant harm to the United States healthcare system, which is ongoing. Moreover, executives at the highest levels in many of the Defendant companies, including but not limited to Defendants Rajiv Malik and Satish Mehta, conceived and directed many of these schemes.

11. Defendant Heritage is a consistent participant in the conspiracies identified in this Complaint, but the conduct is pervasive and industry-wide and the schemes identified herein are part of a larger, overarching understanding about how generic manufacturers fix prices and allocate markets to suppress competition. Through its senior-most executives and account managers, Heritage participated in a wide-ranging series of restraints with more than a dozen generic drug manufacturers, all of whom knowingly and willingly participated. As a result of these conspiracies, Defendants reaped substantial monetary rewards.

12. Defendants' anticompetitive conduct falls principally into two categories, the overarching goal being to avoid price erosion and maintain inflated pricing within and across their respective broad product portfolios and, at times, increase pricing for targeted products without triggering a "fight to the bottom" among existing competitors. First, to avoid competing with one another and thus eroding the prices for a myriad of generic drugs, Defendants -- either upon their entry into a given generic market or upon the entry of a new competitor into that market -- communicated with each other to determine and agree on how much market share and which customers each competitor was entitled to. They then implemented the agreement by either refusing to bid for particular customers or by providing a cover bid that they knew would not be successful. Defendants agreed to allocate the market for Nimodipine, Meproamate, Zoledronic Acid, and Doxycycline Hyclate Delayed Release, among others. These schemes reduced or eliminated competition for a particular drug, and allowed Defendants to maintain artificially supra-competitive prices in these markets throughout the United States.

13. Second, and often in conjunction with the market allocation schemes, competitors in a particular market communicated -- either in person, by telephone, or by text message -- and agreed to collectively raise and/or maintain prices for a particular generic drug. The Defendants

collectively agreed to raise and/or maintain prices for Acetazolamide, Doxycycline Monohydrate, Fosinopril-Hydrochlorothiazide, Glipizide-Metformin, Glyburide, Glyburide-Metformin, Leflunomide, Meprobamate, Nimodipine, Nystatin, Paromomycin, Theophylline, and Verapamil, among others.

14. Defendants here understood and acted upon an underlying code of conduct that is widespread in the generics industry: an expectation that any time a company is entering a particular generic drug market, it can contact its competitors and allocate the market according to a generally agreed-upon standard of "fair share" in order to avoid competing and keep prices high. While different drugs may involve different sets of companies, this background understanding remains constant and is an important component of the Defendants' ability to reach agreements for specific drugs.

15. The Defendants knew their conduct was unlawful. The conspirators usually chose to communicate in person or by cell phone, in an attempt to avoid creating a record of their illegal conduct. The structure of the generic drug industry provided numerous opportunities for collusive communications at trade shows, customer events and smaller more intimate dinners and meetings. When communications were reduced to writing or text message, Defendants often took overt and calculated steps to destroy evidence of those communications.

16. As a result of the conspiracies identified in this Consolidated Amended Complaint (also referred to herein as the "Complaint"), consumers nationwide, including the Plaintiff States, paid substantially inflated and anticompetitive prices for numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs, and the Defendants illegally profited as a result.

17. The Plaintiff States seek a finding that the Defendants' actions violated federal and state antitrust and consumer protection laws; a permanent injunction preventing the

Defendants from continuing their illegal conduct and remedying the anticompetitive effects caused by their illegal conduct; disgorgement of the Defendants' ill-gotten gains; damages on behalf of various state and governmental entities and consumers in various Plaintiff States; civil penalties and other relief as a result of Defendants' violations of law.

II. JURISDICTION AND VENUE

18. This Court has jurisdiction over this action under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1 & 26, and under 28 U.S.C. §§ 1331 and 1337.

19. In addition to pleading violations of federal law, the Plaintiff States also allege violations of state law, as set forth below, and seek civil penalties, damages and equitable relief under those state laws. All claims under federal and state law are based on a common nucleus of operative fact, and the entire law enforcement action commenced by this Consolidated Amended Complaint constitutes a single case that would ordinarily be tried in one judicial proceeding. The Court has jurisdiction over the non-federal claims under 18 U.S.C. § 1367(a), as well as under principles of pendent jurisdiction. Pendent jurisdiction will avoid unnecessary duplication and multiplicity of actions, and should be exercised in the interests of judicial economy, convenience, and fairness.

20. This Court may exercise personal jurisdiction over all of the Defendants because they either transact business both in this District and in the District of Connecticut where this action was commenced, or they have engaged in anticompetitive and illegal conduct that has had an impact both in this District and in the District of Connecticut. Specifically, the corporate Defendants market and sell generic pharmaceutical drugs in interstate and intrastate commerce to consumers nationwide through drug wholesalers and distributors, pharmacy and supermarket chains, and other resellers of generic pharmaceutical drugs. The two individual Defendants were

executives of Defendants Mylan and Emcure who engaged in and directed some of the unlawful conduct addressed herein. The acts complained of have, and will continue to have, substantial effects both in this District and in the District of Connecticut.

21. Venue is proper in this district under Section 12 of the Clayton Act, 15 U.S.C. § 22, and 28 U.S.C. § 1391(b)-(c). At all times relevant to the Plaintiff States' Consolidated Amended Complaint, the Defendants resided, transacted business, were found, or had agents in this District, and a portion of the affected interstate trade and commerce described below has been carried out in this District.

III. THE PARTIES

22. The Attorneys General are the chief legal officers for their respective States. They are granted authority under federal and state antitrust and consumer protection laws to bring actions to protect the economic well-being of the Plaintiff States and obtain injunctive and other relief from the harm that results from the violations of antitrust and consumer protection laws alleged herein. All Plaintiff States seek equitable and other relief under federal antitrust laws in their sovereign or quasi-sovereign capacities. To the extent specified in the state claims asserted in this Consolidated Amended Complaint, certain Attorneys General of the Plaintiff States have and here exercise authority to secure relief, including monetary relief, including for governmental entities and consumers in their states who paid or reimbursed for the generic pharmaceutical drugs that are the subject of this Consolidated Amended Complaint. As specified in Count Nineteen, some states also seek damages for state entities or their consumers under state antitrust law, and some states seek additional relief for violations of state consumer protection laws.

23. Defendant Actavis Holdco U.S., Inc. ("Actavis Holdco"), is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware with its principal place of business in Parsippany, New Jersey. In August 2016, Teva Pharmaceutical USA, Inc. acquired the Actavis generics business of Allergan plc, including Actavis, Inc. Upon the acquisition, Actavis, Inc. – the acquired Allergan plc generics operating company (formerly known as Watson Pharmaceuticals) – was renamed Allergan Finance, LLC, which in turn assigned all of the assets and liabilities of the former Allergan plc generic business to the newly formed Actavis Holdco, including subsidiaries Actavis Pharma, Inc. and Actavis Elizabeth LLC (a research and development and manufacturing entity for Actavis generic operations), among others. Actavis Holdco is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc., which is a Delaware corporation with its principal place of business in North Wales, Pennsylvania.

24. Defendant Actavis Pharma, Inc. is a Delaware corporation with its principal place of business at 400 Interpace Parkway, Parsippany, New Jersey. It is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Actavis Holdco and is a principal operating company in the U.S. for Teva's generic products acquired from Allergan plc. It manufactures, markets, and/or distributes generic pharmaceuticals. Unless addressed individually, Actavis Holdco and Actavis Pharma, Inc. are collectively referred to herein as "Actavis." At all times relevant to the Consolidated Amended Complaint, Actavis has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States.

25. Defendant Ascend Laboratories, LLC ("Ascend") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New Jersey, with a principal place of business at 339 Jefferson Road, Parsippany, New Jersey. At all times relevant to the Consolidated Amended

Complaint, Ascend has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States.

26. Defendant Apotex Corp. ("Apotex") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware. Its principal place of business is 2400 North Commerce Parkway, Weston, Florida. Apotex is in the business of, among other things, developing, manufacturing, and selling generic versions of branded pharmaceutical products for distribution in the United States, including in this District. At all times relevant to the Consolidated Amended Complaint, Apotex has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States.

27. Defendant Aurobindo Pharma USA, Inc. ("Aurobindo") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware with its principal place of business at 6 Wheeling Road, Dayton, New Jersey. At all times relevant to the Consolidated Amended Complaint, Aurobindo has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States.

28. Defendant Citron Pharma, LLC ("Citron") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New Jersey with its principal place of business at 2 Tower Center Boulevard, Suite 1101, East Brunswick, New Jersey. At all times relevant to the Consolidated Amended Complaint, Citron has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States.

29. Defendant Dr. Reddy's Laboratories, Inc. ("Dr. Reddy's") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware with its principal place of business at 107 College Road East, Princeton, New Jersey. At all times relevant to the

Consolidated Amended Complaint, Dr. Reddy's has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States.

30. Defendant Emcure Pharmaceuticals, Ltd. ("Emcure") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of India, having its principal place of business in Pune, India. Emcure is the parent company of Defendant Heritage Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ("Heritage") and another U.S.-based entity, Emcure Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc., which has a principal place of business in East Brunswick, New Jersey. At all times relevant to the Consolidated Amended Complaint, Emcure has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States, and has also participated in and directed the business activities of Defendant Heritage.

31. Defendant Glenmark Pharmaceuticals, Inc., USA ("Glenmark") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware with a principal place of business at 750 Corporate Drive, Mahwah, New Jersey. At all times relevant to the Consolidated Amended Complaint, Glenmark has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States.

32. Defendant Heritage is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware with its principal place of business at 12 Christopher Way, Suite 300, Eatontown, New Jersey. Heritage is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Defendant Emcure. At all times relevant to the Consolidated Amended Complaint, Heritage has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States.

33. Defendant Lannett Company, Inc. ("Lannett") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware with its principal place of business at 9000 State

Road, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. At all times relevant to the Complaint, Lannett has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States.

34. Defendant Rajiv Malik ("Malik") is an individual residing at 605 Grandview Drive, Gibsonia, Pennsylvania. At all times relevant to the Consolidated Amended Complaint, Malik has acted as the President and Executive Director of Mylan N.V., which is the parent company of Defendant Mylan. In his role as President of Mylan N.V., Malik is responsible for overseeing the sales and marketing of Mylan's generic pharmaceutical business, which is accomplished at least in part through acting on behalf of Defendant Mylan.

35. Defendant Mayne Pharma Inc. ("Mayne") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware with its principal place of business at 3301 Benson Drive, Suite 401, Raleigh, North Carolina. In 2012, Mayne acquired Metrics, Inc. and its division, Midlothian Laboratories ("Midlothian"), and has also operated under the name Midlothian since that time. At all times relevant to the Consolidated Amended Complaint, Mayne has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States.

36. Defendant Satish Mehta ("Mehta") is an individual residing at Prasanna 4, Mumbai Pune Road, Kirkee, Pune-3, India. At all times relevant to the Consolidated Amended Complaint, Mehta has acted as the Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director of Defendant Emcure. Mehta has also held a position on the Board of Directors of Defendant Heritage.

37. Defendant Mylan Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ("Mylan") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware with its principal place of business at 1000 Mylan Boulevard, Canonsburg, Pennsylvania. At all times relevant to the Consolidated

Amended Complaint, Mylan has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States.

38. Defendant Par Pharmaceutical Companies, Inc. ("Par") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware with its principal place of business at One Ram Ridge Road, Chestnut Ridge, New York. At all times relevant to the Consolidated Amended Complaint, Par has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States.

39. Defendant Sandoz, Inc. ("Sandoz") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Colorado, with its principal place of business at 100 College Road West, Princeton, New Jersey. Sandoz is a subsidiary of Novartis AG, a global pharmaceutical company based in Basel, Switzerland. At all times relevant to the Consolidated Amended Complaint, Sandoz has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States.

40. Defendant Sun Pharmaceutical Industries, Inc. ("Sun") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Michigan with its principal place of business at 1 Commerce Drive, Cranbury, New Jersey. Sun is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd., an Indian corporation, which also owns a majority stake in Taro Pharmaceutical Industries, Ltd. and Taro's U.S. subsidiary, Taro Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc. In late 2012, Sun acquired URL Pharma, Inc. ("URL") and its subsidiary, Mutual Pharmaceutical Company, Inc. ("Mutual"), both of which have their principal place of business in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Sun also does business under the name Caraco Pharmaceutical Laboratories ("Caraco"), a company Sun acquired in 1997. Unless addressed individually, Sun, URL, Mutual and Caraco are collectively referred to herein as "Sun." During the time period relevant to this

Consolidated Amended Complaint, Sun marketed and sold generic pharmaceutical drugs in this District and throughout the United States.

41. Defendant Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc. ("Teva") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware with its principal place of business at 1090 Horsham Road, North Wales, Pennsylvania. At all times relevant to the Consolidated Amended Complaint, Teva has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States.

42. Defendant Zydus Pharmaceuticals (USA) Inc. ("Zydus") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New Jersey with its principal place of business at 73 Route 31 North, Pennington, New Jersey. At all times relevant to the Consolidated Amended Complaint, Zydus has marketed and sold generic pharmaceuticals in this District and throughout the United States.

43. Whenever any reference is made in any allegation of this Consolidated Amended Complaint to any representation, act or transaction of Defendants, or any agent, employee or representative thereof, such allegation shall be deemed to mean that such principals, officers, directors, employees, agents or representatives of Defendants, while acting within the scope of their actual or apparent authority, whether they were acting on their own behalf or for their own benefit, did or authorized such representations, acts or transactions on behalf of Defendants, respectively.

IV. FACTS SUPPORTING THE LEGAL CLAIMS

A. The Generic Drug Market

1. The Hatch-Waxman Act

44. In 1984, Congress enacted the Drug Price Competition and Patent Term Restoration Act, commonly known as the "Hatch-Waxman" Act. Its intention was to balance two seemingly contradictory interests: encouraging drug innovation, and promoting competition between brand and generic drugs in order to lower drug prices. To encourage innovation, Hatch-Waxman gave branded drug manufacturers longer periods of market exclusivity for newly-approved products; this increased the financial returns for investment in drug research and development.

45. To promote price competition, the law established a new regulatory approval pathway for generic products to help ensure that generic drugs became available more quickly following patent expiration. To gain approval for a new drug, drug manufacturers must submit a new drug application ("NDA") to the United States Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") showing that the new drug is safe and effective for its intended use. Developing a new drug and obtaining an NDA can take many years and cost tens or hundreds of millions of dollars.

46. The Hatch-Waxman Act encouraged faster approval for generic versions of brand-name drugs through the use of "abbreviated new drug applications" ("ANDAs"). These applications rely on the safety and efficacy evidence previously submitted by the branded drug manufacturer, permitting generic manufacturers to avoid conducting costly and duplicative clinical trials.

47. Hatch-Waxman succeeded in both of its goals. Since the law was passed in 1984, generic drugs have moved from being less than 20% of prescriptions filled in the United States to

over 80% of prescriptions filled. A recent study found that, in 2011 alone, generic medicines saved \$193 billion for consumers. During the same period, innovation has continued to lead to many new and helpful drugs.

2. The Importance of Generic Drugs

48. Like their branded counterparts, generic drugs are used in the diagnosis, cure, mitigation, treatment or prevention of disease and, thus, are integral components in modern healthcare, improving health and quality of life for nearly all people in the United States. In 2015, sales of generic drugs in the United States were estimated at \$74.5 billion dollars. Today, the generic pharmaceutical industry accounts for nearly 90% of all prescriptions written in the United States.

49. A branded drug manufacturer that develops an innovative drug can be rewarded with a patent granting a period of exclusive rights to market and sell the drug. During this period of patent protection, the manufacturer typically markets and sells its drug under a brand name, and the lack of competition can permit the manufacturer to set its prices extremely high.

50. Once the brand-name drug's exclusivity period ends, additional firms that receive FDA approval are permitted to manufacture and sell "generic" versions of the brand-name drug. As generic drugs enter the market, competition typically leads to dramatic reductions in price. Generic versions of brand name drugs are priced lower than the brand-name versions. Under most state laws, generic substitution occurs automatically, unless the prescriber indicates on the prescription that the branded drug must be "dispensed as written."

51. As additional manufacturers enter a particular drug market, competition pushes the price down much more dramatically. Often, the price of a generic drug will end up as low as 20% of the branded price or even lower. For this reason, generic drugs have long been referred

to as one of the few "bargains" in the United States healthcare system. Experts have stated that the substantial cost savings gained from the growing number of generic drugs have played a major role in keeping health care costs from increasing more dramatically.

52. Where there is genuine competition, the savings offered by generics drugs over their brand-name equivalents provide tremendous benefits to consumers and health care payors. Patients typically see lower out of pocket expenses, while lower costs for payors and insurers can lead to lower premiums for those who pay for health insurance, and lower costs to government health care programs like Medicare and Medicaid mean greater value for taxpayers.

3. The Players in the Drug Distribution System

53. The United States prescription drug distribution system includes entities that can be involved at various stages of the distribution channel through which prescription drugs are delivered to end users.

a. Manufacturers/Suppliers

54. Drug manufacturers are the source of the prescription drugs in the pharmaceutical supply chain. Unlike branded drug manufacturers, generic manufacturers typically do not develop new drug therapies, but instead manufacture generic drugs that can be substituted (often automatically under state law) for the branded drug after expiration of the brand's exclusivity. Generic pharmaceuticals can be manufactured in a variety of forms, including tablets, capsules, injectables, inhalants, liquids, ointments and creams. A manufacturer seeking to sell a "new drug" in the United States (including generic versions of previously approved drugs) must obtain approval from the FDA, which evaluates many factors, including drug safety, efficacy, raw material suppliers, manufacturing processes, labeling and quality control.

55. Generic drug manufacturers operate manufacturing facilities, and compete with each other to sell the generic drugs they produce to wholesalers, distributors, and in some cases, directly to retail pharmacy chains, mail-order and specialty pharmacies, hospital chains, and some health plans.

56. Generic drug manufacturers also sell some of their drugs through auctions to different purchasers in the supply chain, e.g., group purchasing organizations, retail pharmacies and supermarket chains with pharmacies.

57. In marketing their generic drugs, manufacturers often do not attempt to differentiate their products because, primarily, a generic drug is a commodity. Consequently, competition is dictated by price and supply. As a result, generic drug manufacturers usually all market the drug under the same name, which is the name of the active ingredient (e.g., Acetazolamide).

58. Drug suppliers can include the manufacturers themselves, or other companies that have agreements to sell or distribute certain generic pharmaceutical drugs manufactured by another company. The Defendants in this action are all drug manufacturers and suppliers who compete with one another for the sale of generic pharmaceutical drugs which are ultimately sold to consumers in the United States.

59. Drugs sold in the United States may be manufactured either domestically or abroad. Many manufacturers that produce drugs for the United States market are owned by, or are, foreign companies. Generic drugs may be manufactured by the same companies that manufacture brand-name drugs (even in the same factories), or may come from companies that manufacture generics exclusively. Drug manufacturers typically sell their products through

supply agreements negotiated with wholesalers and distributors, group purchasing organizations, pharmacy benefit managers and large retailers like pharmacy and supermarket chains.

60. Generic manufacturers report certain benchmark or list prices for each generic drug that they offer, including the average wholesale price ("AWP") and wholesale acquisition cost ("WAC"); these sometimes serve as benchmarks, but given the different characteristics of different buyers and the nature of individual negotiations, a manufacturer will frequently supply the same generic drug at several different prices depending on the customer or type of customer.

61. In addition, generic manufacturers that enter into a Medicaid rebate agreement must report their average manufacturer prices ("AMP") to the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services on a monthly and quarterly basis. Pursuant to federal law, AMP is defined as the average price paid to the manufacturer for the drug in the United States by (a) wholesalers for drugs distributed to retail community pharmacies and (b) retail community pharmacies that purchase drugs directly from the manufacturer.

62. Medicaid reimbursement for certain generic drugs is calculated using a formula that is derived from a manufacturer's AMP for that specific generic drug. Put another way, a manufacturer's AMP may have a direct impact on how much a state Medicaid program pays for a generic drug dispensed to a Medicaid beneficiary.

63. The corporate Defendants in this case are among the largest generic pharmaceutical manufacturers in the industry. Each has a broad portfolio of generic drugs which it sells to distributors, retailers and group purchasing organizations, many of whom have a nationwide presence. Competitors for particular pharmaceutical products fluctuate given the shifting pharmaceutical landscape as drugs lose exclusivity, and as manufacturers decide to enter or exit an existing drug market. Every Defendant's portfolio remained broad, and was marketed

to customers in virtually every state across the United States, at all times relevant to this Complaint.

64. The Defendants' customers supply generic pharmaceuticals to a wide swath of consumer populations, including but not limited to Medicaid recipients; private and public sector employees with commercial payor, employer-funded, or self-funded health plans; patients in non-profit, for-profit, or public hospitals or long-term care facilities; and prisons.

65. The generic pharmaceutical portfolios of the Defendants run the gamut of indications, servicing a wide range of health needs, from potentially less common health problems such as hypercalcemia treated with Zoledronic Acid and complications of liver disease treated by Paromomycin, to the more commonplace such as bacterial infections treated with Doxycycline Monohydrate and glaucoma, epilepsy, or altitude sickness treated by Acetazolamide ER.

66. Taken together, customers purchase a wide range of generic pharmaceutical products, in enormous volumes, in every state. Defendants' business plans and strategies for their broad portfolios focus on the nationwide supply and demand chain that funnels their products through various purchasers, including state governments, municipalities, and private sector employers, in order to reach consumer populations in every state. This supply and demand chain is described in more detail below.

b. Wholesalers/Distributors

67. Wholesalers and distributors purchase pharmaceutical products from manufacturers and distribute them to a variety of customers, including pharmacies (retail and mail-order), hospitals, long-term care and other medical facilities. Some wholesalers sell to a

broad range of customers while others specialize in sales of particular products (e.g., biologic products) or sales to a particular type of customer (e.g., nursing homes).

68. Wholesalers and distributors have similar business models, but distributors typically provide more services to their customers. Some of the largest wholesalers and distributors of generic drugs include AmerisourceBergen Corporation ("ABC"), Cardinal Health, Inc. ("Cardinal"), H.D. Smith, LLC ("HD Smith"), McKesson Corporation ("McKesson") and Morris & Dickson, LLC ("Morris & Dickson").

c. Group Purchasing Organizations (GPOs)

69. Group purchasing organizations ("GPOs") are membership-based entities that negotiate with manufacturers, wholesalers, and distributors on behalf of a large group of purchasers. GPOs leverage their buying power to obtain better prices and terms for their members, and assist buyers in trade relations and contract management with sellers. GPOs have formed to serve state and local governments, hospital groups, retail pharmacies, and supermarket chains. Some of the GPOs who sell large volumes of Defendants' generic products for distribution nationwide include Vizient (formerly Novation), Premier, Inc. ("Premier"), Intalere (formerly Amerinet), the Minnesota Multistate Contracting Alliance for Pharmacy ("MMCAP") and Econdisc Contracting Solutions ("Econdisc").

d. Pharmacy and Supermarket Chains

70. Pharmacies are the final step on the pharmaceutical supply chain before drugs reach the consumer. There are several types of pharmacies, including chain and independent retail pharmacies, pharmacies in supermarkets and other large retail establishments, and mail-order pharmacies. If a retail pharmacy or supermarket chain purchases generic drugs on a large enough scale, manufacturers may agree to contract with them directly. Such retailers can obtain

attractive terms by avoiding the markups or fees charged by wholesalers, distributors, and GPOs. Retailers large enough to purchase drugs directly from manufacturers include Rite Aid Corporation ("Rite Aid"), CVS Health ("CVS"), The Walgreen Company ("Walgreens"), Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. ("Walmart"), Target Corporation, and Publix Super Markets, Inc. ("Publix").

e. Customer Incentives

71. Some of the largest downstream buyers that purchase from generic manufacturers actually benefit when prices are higher. For example, in McKesson's 2014 10-K filing, the company reported the following:

A significant portion of our distribution arrangements with the manufacturers provides us compensation based on a percentage of our purchases. In addition, we have certain distribution arrangements with pharmaceutical manufacturers that include an inflation-based compensation component whereby *we benefit when the manufacturers increase their prices* as we sell our existing inventory at the new higher prices. *For these manufacturers, a reduction in the frequency and magnitude of price increases, as well as restrictions in the amount of inventory available to us, could have a material adverse impact on our gross profit margin.*

In that same filing, McKesson also reported that "The business' practice is to pass on to customers published price changes from suppliers."

72. Similarly, in Cardinal's 2014 10-K filing, the company reported that

Gross margin in our Pharmaceutical segment is impacted by generic and branded pharmaceutical price appreciation and the number and value of generic pharmaceutical launches. In past years, these items have been substantial drivers of Pharmaceutical segment profit. Prices for generic pharmaceuticals generally decline over time. But at times, *some generic products experience price appreciation, which positively impacts our margins.*

73. ABC's Annual Summary 2014 and Annual Report 2014 make very similar observations:

4. The Cozy Nature of the Industry and Opportunities for Collusion

76. The generic drug market is structured in a way that allows generic drug manufacturers, including but not limited to the Defendants, to interact and communicate with each other directly and in person, on a frequent basis.

a. Trade Association and Customer Conferences

77. Many customers of the Defendants, including but not limited to (a) large wholesalers or distributors like ABC, Cardinal, HD Smith, McKesson and Morris & Dickson, (b) GPOs like Premier, MMCAP and Econdisc, and (c) other large drug purchasers like pharmacy or grocery store chains, hold multi-day conferences throughout the year in various locations throughout the United States. Generic manufacturers from across the United States are invited to attend.

78. Additionally, the Defendants and other generic drug manufacturers also attend various industry trade shows throughout the year, including those hosted by the National Association of Chain Drug Stores ("NACDS"), Healthcare Distribution Management Association ("HDMA") (now the Healthcare Distribution Alliance), the Generic Pharmaceutical Association ("GPhA") and Efficient Collaborative Retail Marketing ("ECRM"), in a variety of locations throughout the United States.

79. At these various conferences and trade shows, sales representatives from many generic drug manufacturers, including Defendants, interact with each other and discuss their respective businesses and customers. Many of these conferences and trade shows include organized recreational and social events such as golf outings, lunches, cocktail parties and dinners that provide additional opportunities to meet with competitors. Defendants use these opportunities to discuss and share competitively-sensitive information concerning upcoming

bids, specific generic drug markets, pricing strategies and pricing terms in their contracts with customers.

80. These trade shows and customer conferences provide generic drug manufacturers, including but not limited to the Defendants, with ample opportunity to meet, discuss, devise and implement a host of anticompetitive schemes that unreasonably restrain competition in the United States' market for generic drugs.

b. Industry Dinners and Private Meetings

81. In addition to these frequent conferences and trade shows, senior executives and sales representatives gather in smaller groups, allowing them to further meet face-to-face with their competitors and discuss competitively sensitive information.

82. Many generic drug manufacturers, including several of the Defendants, are headquartered in close proximity to one another in New Jersey or eastern Pennsylvania, giving them additional opportunities to foster connections and meet and collude. At least forty-one (41) different generic drug manufacturers are concentrated between New York City and Philadelphia, including, among others, Defendants Actavis, Ascend, Aurobindo, Citron, Dr. Reddy's, Glenmark, Heritage, Lannett, Par, Sandoz, Sun, Teva and Zydus.

83. High-level executives of many generic drug manufacturers get together periodically for what some of them refer to as "industry dinners." For example, in January 2014, at a time when the prices of a number of generic drugs were reportedly soaring, at least thirteen (13) high-ranking executives, including CEOs, Presidents and Senior Vice Presidents of various generic drug manufacturers, met at a steakhouse in Bridgewater, New Jersey. Executives from Defendants Actavis, Aurobindo, Dr. Reddy's, Lannett and Sun, among many other generic manufacturers, attended this particular dinner.

phone and/or text on multiple occasions. The following Table (Table 1), which is conservative because it is based on phone and text message records from only some of the executives and salespeople at issue,¹ and therefore shows only some of the phone calls and text messages between the Defendants during that period, sheds some light on the frequency with which Defendants communicate with each other.

Table 1
Heritage phone/text communications with other Defendants (by month)
July 1, 2013 – July 30, 2014

	Jul-13	Aug-13	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13	Jan-14	Feb-14	Mar-14	Apr-14	May-14	Jun-14	Jul-14	Jul-13 to Jul-14 TOTAL
Actavis										2				2
Apotex											17	2	1	20
Ascend										1				1
Aurobindo					1	1		1		5	2	1	3	14
Citron				6	1	12		7	1		2	29	52	110
DRL	1	6	3	2					1	5	3			21
Glenmark									1				3	4
Lannett	0	35		27			21	8		3	3	14	2	113
Mayne							1		2	7	3			13
Mylan	3	1			1		1		2	8			2	18
Par											3	6		9
Sandoz											4	3		7
Sun	1	2		1				3		3	10	32	7	59
Teva	7	9						5	5	3		1	5	35
Zydus		61	19	6									1	87
														513

95. Similarly, senior sales executives and other individuals responsible for the pricing, marketing and sales of generic drugs at Defendant Teva spoke by phone and/or exchanged text messages with representatives of every other U.S.-based corporate Defendant during the same time period. The following Table (Table 2), which is conservative because it is based on phone and text message records from only some of the executives and salespeople at issue, and therefore shows only some of the phone calls and text messages between Teva and the other Defendants during that period, sheds further light on the frequency with which Defendants communicate with each other.

¹ For example, to date, the Plaintiff States have subpoenaed and received phone records of only one employee of Defendant Ascend, one employee of Defendant Apotex, and three employees of Defendant Sun during this time period.

"[t]he prices of more than 1,200 generic medications increased an average of 448 percent between July 2013 and July 2014."

111. A January 2014 survey of 1,000 members of the National Community Pharmacists Association ("NCPA") found that more than 75% of the pharmacists surveyed reported higher prices on more than 25 generic drugs, with the prices spiking by 600% to 2,000% in some cases.

112. More than \$500 million of Medicaid drug reimbursement during the twelve months ending on June 30, 2014 was for generic drugs whose prices had increased by over 100%.

B. The Illegal Schemes

1. Market Allocation Agreements to Maintain Market Share and Avoid Price Erosion

113. When entering a generic drug market, Defendants routinely sought out their competitors in an effort to reach agreement to allocate market share, maintain high prices and/or avoid competing on price. These agreements had the effect of artificially maintaining high prices for a large number of generic drugs and creating an appearance of competition where in fact little to none existed.

114. Some examples of this illegal behavior are set forth below, organized for each generic drug and describing examples of specific agreements as to that drug.

a. Nimodipine

i. The Heritage/Sun Agreement.

115. Nimodipine, also known by the brand name Nymalize®, is a calcium channel blocking agent used to reduce problems caused by a bleeding blood vessel in the brain.

179. This agreement between Heritage and Dr. Reddy's was part of an overarching conspiracy of the corporate Defendants named in the Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry.

d. Doxy DR

i. The Heritage/Mylan Agreement.

180. Doxycycline Hyclate Delayed Release ("Doxy DR"), also known by the brand-name Doryx®, is a tetracycline-class antimicrobial indicated as adjunctive therapy for severe acne.

181. Heritage entered the market for Doxy DR on or about July 2, 2013. The only other generic manufacturer selling Doxy DR at that time was Defendant Mylan.

182. Even before Heritage began selling Doxy DR, representatives of the company began to communicate with Mylan in an effort to divide the market and refrain from competing with each other on price. Because Mylan was the only manufacturer of Doxy DR in the generic market at that time, pricing for the drug was still very profitable.

183. In April 2013, Malek and then-Heritage CEO Jeffrey Glazer traveled to India and met with two executives of Heritage's parent company, Defendant Emcure, to discuss, among other things, their plans to enter the Doxy DR market and to coordinate how Heritage and Mylan could minimize competition between them. It was decided that Defendant Satish Mehta ("Mehta"), the CEO of Emcure, would reach out first to a high-level counterpart at Mylan, Defendant Rajiv Malik ("Malik"), in order to facilitate subsequent communications between Glazer and Malek and their Mylan counterparts.

184. In early May, Heritage employees at many levels began to reach out to their counterparts at Mylan to discuss Doxy DR.

439. Malek also spoke with [REDACTED] the same day for nearly fourteen (14) minutes. During that call, Malek reported that Heritage would be sending out Price Increase Notices shortly for Theophylline and several of the other drugs for which Heritage and Teva had agreed to raise prices.

440. Heritage began sending out Price Increase Notices to its customers for Theophylline the next day. By July 9, 2014, Heritage had been able to successfully increase prices to at least twenty (20) different customers nationwide, much as Teva had done three months earlier.

441. On June 30, 2014, [REDACTED] sent an email to Teva employees stating that [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] noted to her Teva colleagues that this activity [REDACTED] but stated that Teva [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

442. This agreement between Heritage and Teva was part of an overarching conspiracy of the corporate Defendants named in the Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry.

x. *Verapamil*

443. Verapamil, also known by various brand names, is a calcium channel blocker used to treat hypertension, angina and certain heart rhythm disorders. It works by relaxing the muscles of the heart and blood vessels.

444. In April 2014, Heritage's competitors for Verapamil were Defendants Mylan and Actavis.

445. [REDACTED] was primarily responsible for communicating with Mylan about Verapamil and other drugs. [REDACTED] spoke to [REDACTED] of Mylan on April 23, 2014 and reached an agreement to raise prices for Verapamil and two other drugs. Immediately after hanging up the phone with [REDACTED], [REDACTED] sent an email to Malek and [REDACTED] titled [REDACTED] stating: [REDACTED]

446. [REDACTED] was responsible for communicating with Defendant Actavis about Verapamil and one other drug. On April 22, 2014, within hours after the initial Heritage [REDACTED] [REDACTED] called [REDACTED], [REDACTED] at Actavis, and they spoke for more than nine (9) minutes. Upon information and belief, during that call [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] reached an agreement to raise the price of Verapamil and another drug, Glyburide-Metformin.

447. [REDACTED] conveyed the message internally to the sales and pricing team at Actavis that Heritage was looking to take a price increase on Verapamil. Immediately after speaking to [REDACTED], [REDACTED] called two different Senior Pricing Managers at Actavis, [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. The information spread quickly throughout the sales and pricing teams at Actavis. In an internal email dated April 28, 2014 regarding potential price increases for a list of different drugs, an Actavis pricing manager added: [REDACTED]

448. Just over a week later, on May 6, 2014, [REDACTED], the [REDACTED] [REDACTED] at Actavis, who had also received the April 28 email discussed above, called [REDACTED], a [REDACTED] at Mylan, and left a message. [REDACTED] returned the call on May 9, 2014 and the two spoke for just over three (3) minutes. They spoke again on May 19, 2014 for almost seven (7) minutes, and continued to communicate frequently over the next several months.

449. On May 8, 2014, Malek emailed the Heritage sales team asking them to confirm which competitors they had each been able to obtain agreements from in order to move forward with price increases discussed during the April 22, 2014 conference. [REDACTED] responded: [REDACTED]

450. On May 9, 2014, Heritage held another conference call regarding [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Verapamil was again on the list of drugs targeted for a price increase.

451. Although Heritage did not increase prices for Verapamil market wide in July, 2014, like it did for many other drugs, it did raise price on Verapamil to at least one customer as part of its price increase initiative.

452. On August 20, 2014, [REDACTED] exchanged text messages with [REDACTED] at Sun. During this text message exchange, [REDACTED] described agreements that Heritage had reached with Actavis to increase prices of both Glyburide/Metformin and Verapamil:

[REDACTED]: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]: [REDACTED]

453. This agreement between Heritage, Mylan and Actavis was part of an overarching conspiracy of the corporate Defendants named in the Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry.

C. Consciousness of Guilt

454. The Defendants were aware that their conduct was illegal. They all made consistent efforts to avoid communicating with each other in writing, or to delete written electronic communications after they were made.

455. Going back to at least 2012, for example, Heritage executives took overt steps to conceal their illegal activity, and destroy evidence of wrongdoing.

456. None of the email accounts maintained by Heritage had any document retention policy associated with them. Heritage executives were aware of this, and utilized the lack of a company retention policy to routinely destroy emails that memorialized their illegal conduct. Heritage executives were aware that in order to permanently destroy an email, however, the email had to be deleted from more than just the recipient's in box. For example, on June 27, 2012, Heritage CEO Glazer sent an email to Malek titled [REDACTED] instructing: [REDACTED]

457. Glazer continued to remind Malek not to put any evidence of his illegal conduct into writing. In a text message dated June 26, 2014, Glazer sternly warned Malek about his use of email: [REDACTED]

458. That same day, in an email to the entire sales team at Heritage, Glazer made the point as clearly as possible: [REDACTED]

459. Heritage was not alone in its efforts to conceal its illegal activity. For example, in June 2014, shortly after a text message exchange between [REDACTED] of Citron and [REDACTED] from Heritage wherein the two competitors discussed and agreed to raise the price of Glyburide, [REDACTED] from Citron called [REDACTED] at Heritage, informing him that she had been [REDACTED] in on Heritage's plan.

According to [REDACTED]'s notes, [REDACTED] told [REDACTED] that Heritage employees should not communicate with Citron through email, but should instead call [REDACTED], the [REDACTED] at Citron, if they had information to convey.

460. As Defendants became more aware that they were under state and federal investigation, there was even more urgency to avoid detection. For example, on June 2, 2015, after it had become public that Connecticut and the DOJ were investigating the industry, Malek sent [REDACTED] a text message stating: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Heritage did not produce the referenced email in response to Connecticut's subpoena, even though the subpoena sought all such documents. Upon information and belief, the referenced email has, along with other relevant documents, been deleted by Heritage.

461. Upon information and belief, Glazer, Malek and certain other Heritage employees also deleted all text messages from their company iPhones regarding their illegal communications with competitors.

462. [REDACTED] of Mayne, realizing the illegal nature of the agreements she entered into, also deleted from her cell phone several of the most incriminating text messages between her and [REDACTED] before the data on her phone was imaged and produced to Connecticut.

V. TRADE AND COMMERCE

463. At all times relevant to this Complaint, the activities of the Defendants in manufacturing, selling and distributing generic pharmaceutical drugs, including but not limited to Acetazolamide, Doxycycline Hyclate Delayed Release, Doxycycline Monohydrate, Fosinopril-Hydrochlorothiazide, Glipizide-Metformin, Glyburide, Glyburide-Metformin,

Leflunomide, Meprobamate, Nimodipine, Nystatin, Paromomycin, Theophylline, Verapamil and Zoledronic Acid, among others, were in the regular, continuous and substantial flow of interstate trade and commerce and have had and continue to have a substantial effect upon interstate commerce. The Defendants' activities also had and continue to have a substantial effect upon the trade and commerce within each of the Plaintiff States.

VI. MARKET EFFECTS

464. The acts and practices of Defendants have had the purpose or effect, or the tendency or capacity, of unreasonably restraining competition and injuring competition by preventing competition for the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein, and have directly resulted in an increase in consumer prices for those drugs.

465. By unreasonably and illegally restraining competition for the generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein, Defendants have deprived the Plaintiff States and their consumers of the benefits of competition that the federal and state antitrust laws, consumer protection laws and/or unfair competition statutes and related state laws are designed to promote, preserve and protect.

466. As a direct and proximate result of the unlawful conduct alleged above, Plaintiff States and consumers were not and are not able to purchase, or pay reimbursements for purchases of the various generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein at prices determined by a market unhindered by the impact of Defendants' anticompetitive behavior. Instead, they have been and continue to be forced to pay artificially high prices. Consequently, they have suffered substantial injury in their business and property in that, *inter alia*, they have paid more and continue to pay more for the various generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein than they would have paid in an otherwise competitive market.

467. As a direct and proximate cause of the unlawful conduct alleged above, the general economies of the Plaintiff States have sustained injury and the Plaintiff States are threatened with continuing injury to their business and property unless Defendants are enjoined from continuing their unlawful conduct.

468. Plaintiff States do not have an adequate remedy at law.

469. All conditions precedent necessary to the filing of this action have been fulfilled, waived or excused.

COUNT ONE (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES EXCEPT CALIFORNIA AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE AND SUN, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY) – HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO ALLOCATE MARKETS AND FIX PRICES FOR THE GENERIC DRUG NIMODIPINE IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT

470. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

471. Beginning as early as 2012, Defendants Heritage and Sun knowingly agreed to allocate and divide the market for the generic drug Nimodipine. During the course of this ongoing scheme, Defendants Heritage and Sun also agreed to fix and raise prices, and rig bids, for Nimodipine.

472. These agreements are facially anticompetitive because they allocate customers for the marketing and sale of the generic drug Nimodipine, artificially raise prices, and limit competition among the Defendants. These agreements have eliminated any form of price competition in the market for Nimodipine because at all relevant times, Heritage and Sun were the only competitors.

473. The conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

474. The agreements constitute unreasonable restraints of trade that are *per se* illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of these agreements.

475. As a direct and proximate result of these conspiracies, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Nimodipine at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage and Sun have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Nimodipine.

476. This agreement between Heritage and Sun was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Nimodipine. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

COUNT TWO (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES EXCEPT CALIFORNIA AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE AND ASCEND, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY) – HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO ALLOCATE MARKETS AND FIX PRICES FOR THE GENERIC DRUG NIMODIPINE IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT

477. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

478. Beginning as early as April 2014, Defendants Heritage and Ascend knowingly agreed to allocate and divide the market for the generic drug Nimodipine. During the course of this ongoing scheme, Defendants Heritage and Ascend also agreed to fix and raise prices, and rig bids, for Nimodipine.

479. These agreements are facially anticompetitive because they allocate customers for the marketing and sale of the generic drug Nimodipine, artificially raise prices, and limit competition among the Defendants. These agreements have eliminated any form of price competition in the market for Nimodipine because at all relevant times, Heritage and Ascend were the only competitors.

480. The conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

481. The agreements constitute unreasonable restraints of trade that are *per se* illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of these agreements.

482. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Nimodipine at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage and Ascend have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Nimodipine.

483. This agreement between Heritage and Ascend was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Nimodipine. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

COUNT THREE (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES EXCEPT CALIFORNIA AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE AND DR. REDDY'S, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY) – HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO ALLOCATE MARKETS FOR THE GENERIC DRUG ZOLEDRONIC ACID IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT

484. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

485. Beginning as early as 2013, Defendants Heritage and Dr. Reddy's knowingly agreed to allocate and divide the market for the generic drug Zoledronic Acid.

486. This agreement is facially anticompetitive because it allocates customers for the marketing and sale of the generic drug Zoledronic Acid, artificially raises prices, and limits competition among the Defendants. This agreement has eliminated any form of price competition in the market for Zoledronic Acid between Defendants Heritage and Dr. Reddy's.

487. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

488. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraint of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of the agreement.

489. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Zoledronic Acid at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage and Dr. Reddy's have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Zoledronic Acid.

490. This agreement between Heritage and Dr. Reddy's was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Zoledronic Acid. As participants in the

overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

COUNT FOUR (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES EXCEPT CALIFORNIA AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE AND DR. REDDY'S, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY) – HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO ALLOCATE MARKETS AND FIX PRICES FOR THE GENERIC DRUG MEPROBAMATE IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT

491. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

492. Beginning as early as 2013, Defendants Heritage and Dr. Reddy's knowingly agreed to allocate and divide the market and raise prices for the generic drug Meprobamate.

493. This agreement is facially anticompetitive because it allocates customers for the marketing and sale of the generic drug Meprobamate, artificially raises prices, and limits competition among the Defendants. This agreement has eliminated any form of price competition in the market for Meprobamate between Defendants Heritage and Dr. Reddy's.

494. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

495. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraint of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of the agreement.

496. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Meprobamate at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage and Dr. Reddy's have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Meprobamate.

497. This agreement between Heritage and Dr. Reddy's was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably

restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Meprobamate. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

COUNT FIVE (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE, EMCURE AND MYLAN, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY³) – HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO ALLOCATE MARKETS FOR THE GENERIC DRUG DOXY DR IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT

498. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

499. Beginning as early as 2013, Defendants Heritage and Mylan knowingly agreed to allocate and divide the market for the generic drug Doxy DR. Defendant Emcure, through its senior most executives and Board members, took active steps to initiate communications and facilitate the conspiracy between Heritage and Mylan, and benefited from the illegal agreement.

500. This agreement is facially anticompetitive because it allocates customers for the marketing and sale of the generic drug Doxy DR, artificially raises prices, and limits competition among the Defendants. This agreement has eliminated price competition in the market for Doxy DR between Defendants Heritage and Mylan.

501. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

502. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraint of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of the agreement.

³ At this time, California is only pursuing claims in Count Five against Defendants Heritage and Mylan.

503. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Doxy DR at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage, Emcure and Mylan have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Doxy DR.

504. This agreement between Heritage and Mylan, which was facilitated by Defendant Emcure, was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Doxy DR. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

COUNT SIX (BY CERTAIN PLAINTIFF STATES⁴ AGAINST DEFENDANTS RAJIV MALIK AND SATISH MEHTA) – HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO ALLOCATE MARKETS FOR THE GENERIC DRUG DOXY DR IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT

505. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

506. Beginning in 2013, Defendant Satish Mehta took active steps to facilitate an illegal conspiracy between Defendants Heritage and Mylan to allocate the market for Doxy DR. Defendant Mehta personally communicated with Defendant Rajiv Malik in order to facilitate conspiratorial communications between Malik, the President of defendant Mylan, and the CEO

⁴ The following 35 Plaintiff States join in Count Six against Defendants Rajiv Malik and Satish Mehta: Connecticut, Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Arizona, Colorado, Delaware, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Iowa, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Massachusetts, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Montana, Nebraska, New Jersey, New Mexico, Nevada, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Puerto Rico, South Carolina, Utah, Virginia and West Virginia.

of Defendant Heritage, Jeffrey Glazer with the purpose and effect of allocating the market for Doxy DR.

507. Defendant Malik also participated directly in the conspiracy between Heritage and Mylan. Malik personally communicated with Mehta and Glazer, and agreed that Mylan would allocate specific customers to Heritage when it was entering the market for Doxy DR.

508. This agreement is facially anticompetitive because it allocates customers for the marketing and sale of the generic drug Doxy DR, artificially raises prices, and limits competition among the Defendants. This agreement has eliminated price competition in the market for Doxy DR between Defendants Heritage and Mylan.

509. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

510. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraint of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of the agreement.

511. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Doxy DR at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Mehta and Malik have personally enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Doxy DR.

COUNT SEVEN (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE AND MAYNE, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY⁵) – HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO ALLOCATE MARKETS FOR THE GENERIC DRUG DOXY DR IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT

512. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

⁵ At this time, California is only pursuing claims in Count Seven against Defendants Heritage and Mayne.

513. Beginning in 2014, Defendants Heritage and Mayne knowingly agreed to allocate and divide the market for the generic drug Doxy DR.

514. The agreement is facially anticompetitive because it allocates customers for the marketing and sale of the generic drug Doxy DR, artificially raises prices, and limits competition among the Defendants. This agreement has eliminated price competition in the market for Doxy DR between Defendants Heritage and Mayne.

515. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

516. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraint of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of the agreement.

517. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Doxy DR at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage and Mayne have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Doxy DR.

518. This agreement between Heritage and Mayne was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Doxy DR. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

COUNT EIGHT (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES EXCEPT CALIFORNIA AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE, LANNETT, PAR AND MYLAN, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY) – HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO RAISE PRICES FOR THE GENERIC DRUG DOXY MONO IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT

519. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

520. Starting as early as March 2013, Heritage began to communicate with Defendant Lannett about increasing the price of Doxy Mono. Over the course of the next several months, Defendants Heritage, Lannett, Par and Mylan communicated and agreed to raise prices for, or to refrain from competing for, the generic drug Doxy Mono in direct violation of Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1.

521. Defendants Heritage, Lannett, Par and Mylan knowingly became a party to the agreement. The agreement is facially anticompetitive because it artificially raises prices and limits competition among the Defendants. The agreement has eliminated price competition in the market for Doxy Mono between Defendants Heritage, Lannett, Par and Mylan.

522. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

523. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraint of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of this agreement.

524. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Doxy Mono at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage, Lannett, Par and Mylan have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Doxy Mono.

525. This agreement between Heritage, Lannett, Par and Mylan was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Doxy Mono. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

COUNT NINE (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES EXCEPT CALIFORNIA AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE, TEVA AND ZYDUS, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY) – HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO RAISE PRICES FOR THE GENERIC DRUG ACETAZOLAMIDE IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT

526. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

527. In April of 2014, Heritage devised a scheme whereby it would seek out its competitors and obtain agreements from them to collectively agree to raise prices for a large number of generic drugs. Among those was the generic drug Acetazolamide.

528. Heritage communicated directly with Defendants Teva and Zydus, and obtained agreements with Teva and Zydus to raise prices for, or to refrain from competing for, the generic drug Acetazolamide in direct violation of Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1.

529. Defendants Heritage, Teva and Zydus knowingly became a party to the agreement. The agreement is facially anticompetitive because it artificially raises prices and limits competition among the Defendants. The agreement has eliminated price competition in the market for Acetazolamide between Defendants Heritage, Teva and Zydus.

530. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

531. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraint of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of the agreement.

532. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Acetazolamide at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage, Teva and Zydus have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Acetazolamide.

533. This agreement between Heritage, Teva and Zydus was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Acetazolamide. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

COUNT TEN (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES EXCEPT CALIFORNIA AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE, AUROBINDO, CITRON, GLENMARK AND SANDOZ, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY) – HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO RAISE PRICES FOR THE GENERIC DRUG FOSI-HCTZ IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT

534. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

535. In April of 2014, Heritage devised a scheme whereby it would seek out its competitors and obtain agreements from them to collectively agree to raise prices for a large number of generic drugs. Among those was the generic drug Fosi-HCTZ.

536. Heritage communicated directly with Defendants Aurobindo, Citron, Glenmark and Sandoz, and obtained agreements with Aurobindo, Citron, Glenmark and Sandoz to raise

prices for the generic drug Fosi-HCTZ in direct violation of Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1.

537. Defendants Heritage, Aurobindo, Citron, Glenmark and Sandoz knowingly became a party to this agreement. This agreement is facially anticompetitive because it artificially raises prices and limits competition among the Defendants. This agreement has eliminated price competition in the market for Fosi-HCTZ between Defendants Heritage, Aurobindo, Citron, Glenmark and Sandoz.

538. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

539. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraint of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of this agreement.

540. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Fosi-HCTZ at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage, Aurobindo, Citron, Glenmark and Sandoz have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Fosi-HCTZ.

541. This agreement between Heritage, Aurobindo, Citron, Glenmark and Sandoz was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Fosi-HCTZ. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

COUNT ELEVEN (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES EXCEPT CALIFORNIA AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE, MYLAN AND TEVA, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY) – HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO RAISE PRICES FOR THE GENERIC DRUG GLIPIZIDE-METFORMIN IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT

542. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

543. In April of 2014, Heritage devised a scheme whereby it would seek out its competitors and obtain agreements from them to collectively agree to raise prices for a large number of generic drugs. Among those was the generic drug Glipizide-Metformin.

544. Heritage communicated directly with Defendants Mylan and Teva, and obtained agreements with Mylan and Teva to raise prices for, the generic drug Glipizide-Metformin in direct violation of Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1.

545. Defendants Heritage, Mylan and Teva knowingly became a party to this agreement. The agreement is facially anticompetitive because artificially raises prices and limits competition among the Defendants. The agreement has eliminated price competition in the market for Glipizide-Metformin between Defendants Heritage, Mylan and Teva.

546. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

547. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraint of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of the agreement.

548. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Glipizide-Metformin at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage, Mylan and Teva have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Glipizide-Metformin.

549. This agreement between Heritage, Mylan and Teva was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Glipizide-Metformin. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

COUNT TWELVE (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE, TEVA, AUROBINDO AND CITRON, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY⁶) – HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO RAISE PRICES FOR THE GENERIC DRUG GLYBURIDE IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT

550. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

551. In April of 2014, Heritage devised a scheme whereby it would seek out its competitors and obtain agreements from them to collectively agree to raise prices for a large number of generic drugs. Among those was the generic drug Glyburide.

552. Heritage communicated directly with Defendants Teva, Aurobindo and Citron, and obtained agreements with Teva, Aurobindo and Citron to raise prices for, the generic drug Glyburide in direct violation of Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1.

553. Defendants Heritage, Teva, Aurobindo and Citron knowingly became a party to this agreement. The agreement is facially anticompetitive because it artificially raises prices and limits competition among the Defendants. The agreement has eliminated price competition in the market for Glyburide between Defendants Heritage, Teva, Aurobindo and Citron.

554. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

⁶ At this time, California is only pursuing claims in Count Twelve against Defendants Heritage, Teva, Aurobindo, and Citron.

555. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraint of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of the agreement.

556. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Glyburide at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage, Teva, Aurobindo and Citron have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Glyburide.

557. This agreement between Heritage, Teva, Aurobindo and Citron was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Glyburide. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

COUNT THIRTEEN (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES EXCEPT CALIFORNIA AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE, TEVA, AUROBINDO AND ACTAVIS, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY) – HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO RAISE PRICES FOR THE GENERIC DRUG GLYBURIDE-METFORMIN IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT

558. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

559. In April of 2014, Heritage devised a scheme whereby it would seek out its competitors and obtain agreements from them to collectively agree to raise prices for a large number of generic drugs. Among those was the generic drug Glyburide-Metformin.

560. Heritage communicated directly with Defendants Teva, Aurobindo and Actavis, and obtained agreements with Teva, Aurobindo and Actavis to raise prices for, the generic drug Glyburide-Metformin in direct violation of Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1.

561. Defendants Heritage, Teva, Aurobindo and Actavis knowingly became a party to this agreement. The agreement is facially anticompetitive because it artificially raises prices and limits competition among the Defendants. The agreement has eliminated price competition in the market for Glyburide-Metformin between Defendants Heritage, Teva, Aurobindo and Actavis.

562. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

563. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraints of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of the agreement.

564. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Glyburide-Metformin at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage, Teva, Aurobindo and Actavis have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Glyburide-Metformin.

565. This agreement between Heritage, Teva, Aurobindo and Actavis was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Glyburide-Metformin. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

COUNT FOURTEEN (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES EXCEPT CALIFORNIA AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE, TEVA AND APOTEX, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY) – HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO RAISE PRICES FOR THE GENERIC DRUG LEFLUNOMIDE IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT

566. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

567. In April of 2014, Heritage devised a scheme whereby it would seek out its competitors and obtain agreements from them to collectively agree to raise prices for a large number of generic drugs. Among those was the generic drug Leflunomide.

568. Heritage communicated directly with Defendants Teva and Apotex, and obtained agreements with Teva and Apotex, to raise prices for the generic drug Leflunomide in direct violation of Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1.

569. Defendants Heritage, Teva and Apotex knowingly became a party to this agreement. This agreement is facially anticompetitive because it artificially raises prices and limits competition among the Defendants. This agreement has eliminated price competition in the market for Leflunomide between Defendants Heritage, Teva and Apotex.

570. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

571. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraint of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of this agreement.

572. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Leflunomide at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage, Teva and Apotex have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Leflunomide.

573. This agreement between Heritage, Teva and Apotex was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Leflunomide. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy

COUNT FIFTEEN (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES EXCEPT CALIFORNIA AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE, TEVA, AND SUN, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY) – HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO RAISE PRICES FOR THE GENERIC DRUG NYSTATIN IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT

574. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

575. Beginning as early as 2013, Defendants Heritage, Sun and Teva communicated with each other for the purpose and effect of obtaining an agreement to collectively raise prices for the generic drug Nystatin.

576. Defendants Heritage, Teva and Sun agreed to raise prices for the generic drug Nystatin in direct violation of Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1.

577. Defendants Heritage, Teva and Sun knowingly became a party to this agreement. The agreement is facially anticompetitive because it artificially raises prices and limits competition among the Defendants. The agreement has eliminated price competition in the market for Nystatin between Defendants Heritage, Teva and Sun.

578. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

579. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraint of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of the agreement.

580. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Nystatin at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage, Teva and Sun have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Nystatin.

581. This agreement between Heritage, Teva and Sun was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Nystatin. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

**COUNT SIXTEEN (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES EXCEPT CALIFORNIA AGAINST
DEFENDANTS HERITAGE AND SUN, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE
DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY) – HORIZONTAL
CONSPIRACY TO RAISE PRICES FOR THE GENERIC DRUG PAROMOMYCIN IN
VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT**

582. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

583. In April of 2014, Heritage devised a scheme whereby it would seek out its competitors and obtain agreements from them to collectively agree to raise prices for a large number of generic drugs. Among those was the generic drug Paromomycin.

584. Heritage communicated directly with Defendant Sun, and obtained an agreement with Sun, to raise prices for the generic drug Paromomycin in direct violation of Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1.

585. Defendants Heritage and Sun knowingly became a party to this agreement. This agreement is facially anticompetitive because it artificially raises prices and limits competition among the Defendants. This agreement has eliminated price competition in the market for Paromomycin between Defendants Heritage and Sun.

586. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

587. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraint of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of this agreement.

588. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Paromomycin at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage and Sun have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Paromomycin.

589. This agreement between Heritage and Sun was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Paromomycin. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

**COUNT SEVENTEEN (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES EXCEPT CALIFORNIA
AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE AND TEVA, AND ALL OTHER CORPORATE
DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY) – HORIZONTAL
CONSPIRACY TO RAISE PRICES FOR THE GENERIC DRUG THEOPHYLLINE IN
VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT**

590. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

591. In early 2014, Teva devised a scheme to communicate with its competitor Heritage and obtain an agreement to raise prices on multiple drugs. Among those was the generic drug Theophylline.

592. Teva communicated directly with Defendant Heritage, and obtained an agreement with Heritage, to raise prices for the generic drug Theophylline in direct violation of Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1.

593. Defendants Heritage and Teva knowingly became a party to this agreement. This agreement is facially anticompetitive because it artificially raises prices and limits competition among the Defendants. This agreement has eliminated price competition in the market for Theophylline between Defendants Heritage and Teva.

594. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

595. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraint of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of this agreement.

596. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Theophylline at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage and Teva have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Theophylline.

597. This agreement between Heritage and Teva was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Theophylline. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

**COUNT EIGHTEEN (BY ALL PLAINTIFF STATES EXCEPT CALIFORNIA
AGAINST DEFENDANTS HERITAGE, MYLAN AND ACTAVIS, AND ALL OTHER
CORPORATE DEFENDANTS UNDER JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY) –
HORIZONTAL CONSPIRACY TO RAISE PRICES FOR THE GENERIC DRUG
VERAPAMIL IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 1 OF THE SHERMAN ACT**

598. Plaintiff States repeat and re-allege every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

599. In April of 2014, Heritage devised a scheme whereby it would seek out its competitors and obtain agreements from them to collectively agree to raise prices for a large number of generic drugs. Among those was the generic drug Verapamil.

600. Heritage communicated directly with Defendants Mylan and Actavis, and obtained agreements with Mylan and Actavis to raise prices for, the generic drug Verapamil in direct violation of Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1.

601. Defendants Heritage, Mylan and Actavis knowingly became a party to this agreement. The agreement is facially anticompetitive because it artificially raises prices and limits competition among the Defendants. The agreement has eliminated price competition in the market for Verapamil between Defendants Heritage, Mylan and Actavis.

602. This conspiracy substantially affected and still affects interstate commerce.

603. The agreement constitutes an unreasonable restraints of trade that is per se illegal under Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1. No elaborate analysis is required to demonstrate the anticompetitive character of the agreement.

604. As a direct and proximate result of this conspiracy, Plaintiff States, governmental entities and/or consumers have been injured in their business or property because they have had to purchase or reimburse for Verapamil at supra-competitive prices, and Defendants Heritage, Mylan and Actavis have enjoyed ill-gotten gains from the sales of Verapamil.

605. This agreement between Heritage, Mylan and Actavis was part of an overarching conspiracy among all of the corporate Defendants named in this Complaint to unreasonably restrain trade in the generic pharmaceutical industry, and to artificially fix, raise, stabilize and control the prices for generic drugs, including Verapamil. As participants in the overarching conspiracy, the corporate Defendants are jointly and severally liable for any harm caused as a result of the conspiracy.

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Connecticut

606. Plaintiff State of Connecticut repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

607. Defendants' actions as alleged herein violate the Connecticut Antitrust Act, Conn. Gen. Stat. §§ 35-26 and 35-28, in that they have the purpose and/or effect of unreasonably restraining trade and commerce within the State of Connecticut and elsewhere.

608. Defendants' actions as alleged herein have damaged, directly and indirectly, the prosperity, welfare, and general economy of the State of Connecticut and the economic well being of a substantial portion of the People of the State of Connecticut and its citizens and

businesses at large. Plaintiff State of Connecticut seeks recovery of such damages as parens patriae on behalf of the State of Connecticut and the People of the State of Connecticut pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. § 35-32(c)(2).

609. Defendants' acts and practices as alleged herein constitute unfair methods of competition in violation of the Connecticut Unfair Trade Practices Act, Conn. Gen. Stat. § 42-110b.

610. Plaintiff State of Connecticut seeks injunctive relief pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. § 35-34, civil penalties pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. § 35-38 for each and every violation of the Connecticut Antitrust Act, civil penalties pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. § 42-110o of \$5,000 for each and every willful violation of the Connecticut Unfair Trade Practices Act, an order pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. § 42-110m requiring Defendants to submit to an accounting to determine the amount of improper compensation paid to them as a result of the allegations in the Complaint, disgorgement of all revenues, profits and gains achieved in whole or in part through the unfair methods of competition complained of herein, pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. § 42-110m, reasonable attorney's fees pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. § 42-110m, and such other and further relief as this Court deems just and equitable.

Alabama

611. Plaintiff State of Alabama repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

612. The acts and practices by Defendants constitute unconscionable acts in violation of the Alabama Deceptive Trade Practices Act, Code of Alabama, 1975, § 8-19-5(27) for which the State of Alabama is entitled to relief.

Alaska

613. Plaintiff State of Alaska repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

614. The aforementioned practices by Defendants are in violation of the Alaska Restraint of Trade Act, AS 45.50.562 et seq., and these violations had impacts within the State of Alaska and have substantially affected the people of Alaska. Specifically, the defendants conspired to allocate market share and to fix and raise prices of generic pharmaceuticals resulting in a restraint of trade or commerce. Plaintiff State of Alaska is entitled to relief for these violations under AS 45.50.576 - .578.

615. The aforementioned practices by Defendants are in violation of the Alaska Unfair Trade Practices and Consumer Protection Act, AS 45.50.471(b)(11) and (b)(12), and these violations had impacts within the State of Alaska and have substantially affected the people of Alaska. Specifically, the defendants' conduct in allocating market share and in fixing and raising prices, as described in the preceding paragraphs, deceived and damaged Alaskans by causing them to pay increased prices for generic pharmaceuticals. Further, the defendants deceived and defrauded Alaskans and omitted a material fact, namely their anti-competitive conduct, when selling their product to wholesalers and pharmacies knowing this would increase the cost to consumers. Plaintiff State of Alaska is entitled to relief for these violations under AS 45.50.501, .531, and .537.

Arizona

616. Plaintiff State of Arizona repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

617. Defendants' actions as alleged herein violate the Arizona State Uniform Antitrust Act, Ariz. Rev. Stat. § 44-1401 et seq.

618. Plaintiff State of Arizona brings this action pursuant to A.R.S. §§ 44-1407 and 1408, and seeks relief, including but not limited to injunctive relief, civil penalties, other equitable relief (including but not limited to disgorgement), fees and costs, and such other relief as this Court deems just and equitable.

619. Defendants' actions as alleged herein constitute unlawful practices as defined in the Arizona Consumer Fraud Act, A.R.S. § 44-1521 et seq. Defendants engaged in unfair or deceptive acts or practices in connection with the sale or advertisement of merchandise by, among other things, making misrepresentations and taking steps to conceal their anticompetitive schemes.

620. Defendants' violations of the Arizona Consumer Fraud Act were willful, in that they knew or should have known that their conduct was of the nature prohibited by A.R.S. §44-1522.

621. Plaintiff State of Arizona brings this action pursuant to A.R.S. §§ 44-1528 and 1531, and seeks relief, including but not limited to injunctive relief, restitution, disgorgement and other equitable relief, civil penalties, fees and costs, and such other relief as this Court deems just and equitable.

Arkansas

622. Plaintiff State of Arkansas repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

623. Defendants' actions alleged herein violate, and Plaintiff State of Arkansas is entitled to relief under, The Arkansas Deceptive Trade Practices Act, Ark. Code Ann. § 4-88-101

et seq., the Unfair Practices Act, Ark. Code Ann. § 4-75-201 et seq., Monopolies Generally, Ark. Code Ann. § 4-75-301 et seq., and the common law of Arkansas.

624. Plaintiff State of Arkansas seeks relief, including, but not limited to, damages and restitution for Arkansas state entities and for Arkansas consumers for loss incurred, either directly or indirectly. Plaintiff State of Arkansas also seeks, and is entitled to, maximum civil penalties allowed by law, injunctive relief, attorney's fees, costs, investigative expenses, expert witness expenses, and such other relief as this Court deems just and equitable.

California⁷

625. Plaintiff State of California repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation made by California in the First Amended Complaint as repeated in this Consolidated Amended Complaint.

626. Defendants' actions alleged herein constitute contracts, combinations or conspiracies in violation of the Cartwright Act, California Business and Professions Code Sections 16720 et seq., in that they have the purpose and/or effect of unreasonably restraining trade and commerce within the State of California and elsewhere.

627. In addition, as alleged herein, Defendants engaged, and continue to engage, in unlawful, fraudulent or unfair acts or practices, which constitute unfair competition in violation of California Unfair Competition Law ("UCL"), California Business and Professions Code Sections 17200 et seq.

628. Defendants' actions alleged herein also constitute violations of the California False Advertising Law ("FAL"), California Business and Professions Code Sections 17500 et

⁷ At this time, the California state law claims apply only to Defendants Heritage, Mylan, and Mayne with respect to Doxy DR and to Defendants Heritage, Teva, Aurobindo, and Citron with respect to Glyburide.

seq., in that Defendants made or disseminated, or caused to be made or disseminated, false or misleading statements, and continue to do so with the intent to induce their customers, wholesalers, and consumers to purchase their products at supracompetitive prices when they knew, or by the exercise of reasonable care should have known, that the statements were false or misleading. Statements in violation of the FAL include, but are not limited to, false or misleading bids and/or offers made by Defendants to their customers and wholesalers as well as false or misleading statements made by Defendants to their customers and wholesalers as to their supply capacity and/or their reasons for bidding or not bidding.

629. Plaintiff State of California is bringing these state claims as well as the federal claims alleged above in its sovereign capacity only. In bringing its state claims, Plaintiff State of California is entitled to, among other things, injunctive and equitable relief in the form of disgorgement of Defendants' ill-gotten gains under the Cartwright Act (Cal. Bus. & Prof. Code § 16750, et seq.); injunctive, restitution and other equitable relief under the UCL (Cal. Bus. & Prof. Code § 17200, et seq.) and under the FAL (Cal. Bus. & Prof. Code § 17500, et seq.); civil penalties assessed at \$2,500 for each violation of the UCL and penalties assessed at \$2,500 for each violation of the FAL (Cal. Bus. & Prof. Code §§ 17206 and 17536), and additional penalties for senior citizens and disabled victims of the violation (Cal. Bus. & Prof. Code § 17206.1 and Cal. Civil Code § 3345); costs of suit, including reasonable attorneys' fees, and such other relief as may be just and equitable (Cal. Bus. & Prof. Code §§ 16750, 16754, and 16754.5).

Colorado

630. Plaintiff State of Colorado repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

631. Defendants' actions violate, and Plaintiff State of Colorado is entitled to relief under, the Colorado Antitrust Act of 1992, § 6-4-101, et seq., Colo. Rev. Stat.

632. Plaintiff State of Colorado seeks equitable relief, the maximum civil penalties allowed by law, attorneys' fees, and costs.

District of Columbia

633. Plaintiff District of Columbia, through its Attorney General, repeats and realleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

634. The aforementioned practices by Defendants were in violation of the District of Columbia Antitrust Act, D.C. Code § 28-4502.

635. Plaintiff District of Columbia has been and continues to be injured by Defendants' actions. The District is entitled to all available relief for these violations pursuant to D.C. Code §§ 28-4507 and 28-4509, including injunctive relief, damages as parens patriae on behalf of individuals residing in the District of Columbia, restitution, disgorgement, costs, attorney's fees, and any other appropriate injunctive and equitable relief.

Delaware

636. Plaintiff State of Delaware repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

637. The aforementioned practices by defendants constitute violations of Section 2103 of the Delaware Antitrust Act, 6 Del. C. § 2101, et seq.

638. Plaintiff State of Delaware through the Attorney General brings this action pursuant to Sections 2105 and 2107, and seeks civil penalties and equitable relief pursuant to Section 2107 of the Delaware Antitrust Act, 6 Del. C. § 2101, et seq.

Florida

639. The State of Florida repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

640. This is an action that alleges a violation of the Florida Antitrust Act, Section 542.18, and the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act, Section 501.201, et seq. The State of Florida is entitled to relief, including, but not limited to, damages, disgorgement, civil penalties, equitable relief, injunctive relief, attorneys' fees and costs resulting from the Defendants' conduct as stated above, for all purchases of pharmaceuticals by the State of Florida and its government entities and municipalities, Florida businesses, and individual consumers.

641. Minnesota Multistate Contracting Alliance for Pharmacy ("MMCAP") purchases pharmaceuticals directly from Defendants and/or has an assignment of antitrust claims from Cardinal Health, Inc. ("Cardinal"). The State of Florida purchases generic drugs from MMCAP and has a similar assignment from MMCAP for any claims MMCAP may have for violations of the antitrust laws. As a result of these assignments, any claims for violations of federal and/or state antitrust laws that MMCAP and/or Cardinal may have had have been assigned to the State of Florida when the claims relate to purchases by the State of Florida.

642. Defendants knowingly – that is, voluntarily and intentionally – entered into a continuing agreement, understanding, and conspiracy to raise, fix, maintain, and/or stabilize the prices charged for pharmaceuticals during the Relevant Period, continuing through the filing of this Complaint.

643. Defendants directly and indirectly sold pharmaceuticals to the State of Florida and its government entities and municipalities, Florida businesses, and individual consumers.

644. The State of Florida and its government entities and municipalities, and Florida individual consumers have been injured and will continue to be injured by paying more for pharmaceuticals purchased directly and/or indirectly from the Defendants and their co-conspirators than they would have paid in the absence of the conspiracy.

645. As a direct and proximate result of the Defendants' conduct, the State of Florida and its government entities and municipalities, and Florida individual consumers have been harmed and will continue to be harmed by paying supra-competitive prices for pharmaceuticals that they would not had to pay in the absence of the Defendants' conduct as alleged herein.

646. The sale of pharmaceuticals in the State of Florida involves trade or commerce within the meaning of the Florida Antitrust Act and the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act.

647. Defendants' combination, conspiracy, acts, and practices, or the effects thereof, are continuing and will continue and are likely to recur unless permanently restrained and enjoined.

648. The combination, conspiracy, acts, and practices alleged herein constitute unfair methods of competition in violation of the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act, 501. 201, et seq, Florida Statutes.

649. Further, Defendants' actions offend established public policy and are immoral, unethical, oppressive, unscrupulous, or substantially injurious to Florida governmental entities, to municipalities in the State of Florida, and to consumers in the State of Florida in violation of Section 501.204, Florida Statutes.

Hawaii

650. Plaintiff State of Hawaii repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

651. The aforementioned practices by Defendants negatively affected competition by unlawfully restraining trade or commerce, or having the purpose or effect of fixing, controlling or maintaining prices, allocating or dividing customers or markets, fixing or controlling prices or bidding for public or private contracts, or otherwise thwarting genuine competition in generic drug markets, in violation of Chapter 480, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

652. Section 480-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, provides that “[u]nfair methods of competition and unfair or deceptive acts or practices in the conduct of any trade or commerce are unlawful.”

653. The aforementioned practices by Defendants were and are deceptive acts or practices because they involve representations, omissions, and/or practices that were and are material, and likely to mislead entities acting reasonably under the circumstances.

654. The aforementioned practices by Defendants: were and are unfair because they offend public policy as established by statutes, the common law, or otherwise; were and are immoral, unethical, oppressive, unscrupulous, or substantially injurious to consumer and entities affected by Defendants’ practices; and were and are unfair competitive conduct.

655. The aforementioned practices are unfair or deceptive acts or practices and unfair methods of competition in violation of section 480-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

656. Plaintiff State of Hawaii is entitled to: injunctive relief pursuant to section 480-15, Hawaii Revised Statutes, and other equitable relief (including but not limited to restitution and disgorgement of Defendants’ ill-gotten gains); civil penalties pursuant to section 480-3.1,

Hawaii Revised Statutes; threefold the actual damages sustained by government agencies; as parens patriae on behalf of natural persons residing in the State for threefold damages for injuries sustained by such natural persons to their property by reason of any violation of chapter 480; and reasonable attorney fees and costs.

Idaho

657. Plaintiff State of Idaho repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

658. Defendants' actions as alleged herein violate the Idaho Competition Act, Idaho Code § 48-104, in that they have the purpose and/or the effect of unreasonably restraining Idaho commerce, as that term is defined by Idaho Code § 48-103(1).

659. For each and every violation alleged herein, Plaintiff State of Idaho, on behalf of itself, its state agencies, and persons residing in Idaho, is entitled to all legal and equitable relief available under the Idaho Competition Act, Idaho Code §§ 48-108, 48-112, including, but not limited to, injunctive relief, actual damages or restitution, civil penalties, disgorgement, expenses, costs, attorneys' fees, and such other and further relief as this Court deems just and equitable.

660. Defendants' actions constitute per se violations of Idaho Code § 48-104. Pursuant to Idaho Code § 48-108(2), Plaintiff State of Idaho, as parens patriae on behalf of persons residing in Idaho, is entitled to treble damages for the per se violations of Idaho Code § 48-104.

Illinois

661. Plaintiff State of Illinois repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

662. Defendants' actions as alleged herein violate sections 3(1), 3(2) and 3(3) of the Illinois Antitrust Act, 740 ILCS 10/1 et seq.

663. Plaintiff State of Illinois, under its antitrust enforcement authority in 740 ILCS 10/7, seeks relief, including but not limited to damages, for Illinois consumers and Illinois state entities that paid for one or more of the drugs identified in this Consolidated Amended Complaint during the relevant period and thereby paid more than they would have paid but for Defendants' unlawful conduct. Plaintiff State of Illinois also seeks, and is entitled to, injunctive relief, civil penalties, other equitable relief (including but not limited to disgorgement), fees and costs, and any other remedy available for these violations under sections 7(1), 7(2), and 7(4) of the Illinois Antitrust Act.

Indiana

664. Plaintiff State of Indiana repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

665. The aforementioned practices are a violation of Chapter Two of the Indiana Antitrust Act, Ind. Code § 24-1-2-1, and the Plaintiff State of Indiana seeks recovery pursuant to I.C. § 24-1-2-5.

666. The aforementioned practices are a violation of Chapter One of the Indiana Antitrust Act, I.C. § 24-1-1-1, and the Plaintiff State of Indiana seeks recovery pursuant to I.C. § 24-1-1-2.

667. The aforementioned practices are unfair and/or deceptive acts by a supplier in the context of a consumer transaction in violation of the Indiana Deceptive Consumer Sales Act, I.C. § 24-5-0.5-3.

668. Plaintiff State of Indiana under its authority in I.C. § 24-1-2-5, I.C. § 24-1-1-2, and I.C. § 24-5-0.5-4 seeks relief, including but not limited to damages, for Indiana consumers and Indiana state entities that paid for one or more of the drugs identified in this Consolidated Amended Complaint during the relevant period and thereby paid more than they would have paid but for Defendants' unlawful conduct. Plaintiff State of Indiana also seeks, and is entitled to, civil penalties, injunctive relief, other equitable relief (including but not limited to disgorgement), fees and costs and any other remedy available for these violations under the Indiana Antitrust Act and the Indiana Deceptive Consumer Sales Act.

Iowa

669. Plaintiff State of Iowa repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

670. The alleged practices by Defendants were in violation of the Iowa Competition Law, Iowa Code Chapter 553.

671. Iowa seeks an injunction and divestiture of profits resulting from these practices pursuant to Iowa Code § 553.12, and civil penalties pursuant to Iowa Code § 553.13.

672. Defendants' acts and practices as alleged herein also constitute an unfair practice in violation of the Iowa Consumer Fraud Act, Iowa Code § 714.16(1)(n) and a deception pursuant to Iowa Code section 714.16(1)(f).

673. Pursuant to Iowa Code § 714.16(7), the State of Iowa seeks disgorgement, restitution, and other equitable relief for these violations. In addition, pursuant to Iowa Code § 714.16(11), the Attorney General seeks reasonable fees and costs for the investigation and litigation.

Kansas

674. Plaintiff State of Kansas repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

675. The aforementioned practices by Defendants were and are in violation of the Kansas Restraint of Trade Act, Kan. Stat. Ann. §§ 50-101 et seq.

676. The State of Kansas seeks relief on behalf of itself and its agencies and as parens patriae on behalf of its residents, pursuant to Kan. Stat. Ann. §§ 50-103 and 50-162.

677. Kansas governmental entities and residents are entitled to money damages regardless of whether they purchased one or more of the drugs identified in this Consolidated Amended Complaint directly or indirectly from Defendants, pursuant to Kan. Stat. Ann. § 50-108(b).

678. The State of Kansas is entitled to injunctive relief, civil penalties, restitution, treble damages, reasonable expenses and investigative fees, reasonable attorney fees and costs, and any other appropriate relief the court so orders, pursuant to Kan. Stat. Ann. §§ 50-103, 50-108, 50-160, and 50-161.

Kentucky

679. Plaintiff Commonwealth of Kentucky repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein. The aforementioned acts or practices by Defendants violate the Consumer Protection Act, Ky. Rev.Stat.Ann.§ 367.110 et seq. (“KCPA”)

680. Defendants, by distributing, marketing and selling generic pharmaceutical drugs to consumers through wholesalers and distributors, pharmacy and supermarket chains, and other resellers of generic pharmaceutical drugs and otherwise engaging in the conduct described herein with respect to the generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein, are engaging in trade or

commerce that harmed the Commonwealth and consumers within the meaning of Ky.Stat.Ann. §367.170.

681. Defendants impaired consumer choice in each generic drug market identified herein in what should have been a freely competitive marketplace for the generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein. Defendants have deprived consumers of being able to meaningfully choose from the options a competitive market would have provided.

682. The Defendants agreed to, and did in fact, act in restraint of trade or commerce in each generic drug market identified herein, by affecting, fixing, controlling and/or maintaining at artificial and non-competitive levels, the prices at which the generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein were sold, distributed or obtained. Such conduct has been and is unfair under the KCPA.

683. Defendants have misrepresented the absence of competition in each generic drug market identified herein. By misrepresenting and/or omitting material facts concerning the absence of competition in each generic drug market identified herein, the Defendants misled the Commonwealth that prices for the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein were competitive and fair. Defendants' conduct has been misleading and/or had a tendency to deceive.

684. The Defendants' misrepresentations and omission of material facts had the following effects: (1) generic drug price competition was restrained, suppressed and eliminated; (2) generic drug prices were raised, fixed, maintained and stabilized at artificially-high levels; (3) the Commonwealth was deprived of free and open markets; and (4) the Commonwealth and consumers paid supra-competitive, artificially inflated prices for the generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein. The Defendants' misrepresentations and omissions of material facts have caused Commonwealth harm in paying more for generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein.

685. Defendants violated the KCPA:

- a. Each time Defendants agreed to allocate the market for specific drugs in the generic pharmaceutical drug market as set forth above;
- b. Each time Defendants agreed to fix prices on the specified drugs in the specified drug markets as set forth above;
- c. Each time a Defendant failed to disclose the existence of a market allocation agreement and/or a price-fixing agreement involving any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein;
- d. Each time a Defendant submitted false or misleading cover bids and/or offers to their customers and wholesalers;
- e. Each time a Defendant provided false or misleading statements to prospective customers related to supply capacity or reasons for bidding or not bidding;
- f. Each time a request for reimbursement was made to the Commonwealth for any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein;
and
- g. Each time the Commonwealth or its consumers paid an artificially inflated price for any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein the Defendants' distributed, marketed or sold.

686. The above described conduct has been and is willful within the meaning of Ky.Stat. Ann. §367.990.

687. The Commonwealth states that the public interest is served by seeking a permanent injunction to restrain the acts and practices described herein. The Commonwealth and

its citizens will continue to be harmed unless the acts and practices complained of herein are permanently enjoined pursuant to Ky.Stat.Ann. §367.190. Further, the Commonwealth seeks restitution to the Commonwealth and/or disgorgement pursuant to Ky.Stat.Ann. §§ 367.190 -.200. The Commonwealth seeks a civil penalty of up to \$2,000 for each such willful violation, or \$10,000 for each such violation directed at a person over 60 pursuant to Ky.Stat.Ann. § 367.990.

Unjust Enrichment

688. Defendants have been unjustly enriched as a result of the conduct set forth herein. The Commonwealth and consumers were purchasers, reimbursers and/or end-payors of Defendants' generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein and have paid, at their expense, amounts far in excess of the competitive prices for such drugs that would have prevailed in a competitive and fair market.

689. For those customers that purchase directly or indirectly from Defendants at artificially inflated and supra-competitive prices, Defendants have increased prices above what would have prevailed in a competitive and fair market; thereby, directly benefiting Defendants in the form of increased revenues.

690. Defendants knew of, and appreciated and retained the benefits of Commonwealth and consumers' purchases of any of the Defendants' generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein at amounts far in excess of the competitive price.

691. Based on Defendants' conduct set for herein, it would be inequitable and unjust for Defendants to retain such benefits without payment of value. Defendants will be unjustly enriched if they are permitted to retain the direct or indirect benefits received resulting from the purchase of any of the generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein by the Commonwealth. The Commonwealth therefore seeks to recover the amounts that unjustly enriched the

699. The aforementioned practices by Defendants were and are in violation of the Maryland Antitrust Act, Md. Com. Law Code Ann. §§ 11-201 et seq. These violations substantially affect the people of Maryland and have impacts within the State of Maryland.

700. Plaintiff State of Maryland brings this action against Defendants in the following capacities:

- a. Pursuant to Md. Com. Law Code Ann. § 11-209(a) in its sovereign capacity for injunctive relief, civil penalties, restitution, disgorgement and all other available equitable remedies;
- b. Pursuant to Md. Com Law Code Ann. § 11-209(b)(5) as *parens patriae* on behalf of persons residing in Maryland. These persons are entitled to three times the amount of money damages sustained regardless of whether they have purchased generic pharmaceuticals directly or indirectly from Defendants. Md. Health Gen. Code Ann. § 21-1114.

701. Plaintiff State of Maryland also seeks, pursuant to Md. Com. Law Code Ann. § 11-209(b), reimbursement of reasonable attorney's fees, expert fees and costs.

Massachusetts

702. Plaintiff Commonwealth of Massachusetts repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

703. The aforementioned practices by Defendants, including but not limited to agreements in restraint of trade and/or attempted agreements in restraint of trade, constitute unfair methods of competition and/or unfair or deceptive acts or practices in trade or commerce in violation of the Massachusetts Consumer Protection Act, M.G.L c. 93A, § 2 et seq.

704. Defendants knew or should have known that their conduct violated the Massachusetts Consumer Protection Act, M.G.L c. 93A, § 2 et seq.

705. Plaintiff Commonwealth of Massachusetts is entitled to relief under M.G.L. c. 93A, § 4, including, without limitation, damages and restitution to Massachusetts consumers and Massachusetts governmental purchasers; civil penalties for each violation committed by the Defendants; injunctive relief and other equitable relief including, without limitation, disgorgement; fees and costs including, without limitation, costs of investigation, litigation, and attorneys' fees; and any other relief available under M.G.L. c. 93A, § 4.

706. Plaintiff Commonwealth of Massachusetts notified the Defendants of this intended action at least five days prior to the commencement of this action and gave the Defendants an opportunity to confer in accordance with M.G. L. c. 93A, § 4.

Michigan

707. Plaintiff State of Michigan repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

708. The State of Michigan brings this action both on behalf of itself, its State Agencies, and as *parens patriae* on behalf of natural persons, pursuant to Mich. Comp. Laws §14.28, and §14.101, to enforce public rights and to protect residents and its general economy against violations of the Michigan Antitrust Reform Act, Mich. Comp. Laws § 445.771, et seq., the Michigan Consumer Protection Act, Mich. Comp. Laws §445.901 et. seq., and the common law of the State of Michigan.

709. The aforementioned practices by Defendants were and are in violation of the Michigan Antitrust Reform Act, Mich. Comp. Laws § 445.771, et seq., the Michigan Consumer Protection Act, Mich. Comp. Laws §445.901 et. seq., and the common law of the State of

Michigan. As a result of Defendant's unfair, unconscionable, or deceptive methods, acts, or practices in the conduct of trade and Defendants' conspiracy to restrain trade for the purpose of excluding or avoiding competition, all as more fully described above, the Plaintiff State of Michigan, its agencies, and consumers have suffered and been injured in business and property by reason of having to purchase or reimburse at supra-competitive prices as direct and indirect purchasers and will continue to suffer ascertainable loss and damages in an amount to be determined at trial.

710. Accordingly, Plaintiff State of Michigan on behalf of itself, its agencies, and as *parens patriae* on behalf of its consumers affected by Defendants' illegal conduct, is entitled to relief including but not limited to injunctive relief and other equitable relief (including but not limited to disgorgement), civil penalties, damages, costs and attorney fees.

Minnesota

711. Plaintiff State of Minnesota repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

712. Defendants' acts as alleged herein violate the Minnesota Antitrust Law of 1971, Minn. Stat. §§ 325D.49-.66. Plaintiff State of Minnesota seeks relief, including but not limited to:

- a. damages for itself, its state agencies that paid for the generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein, and as *parens patriae* on behalf of its consumers. Plaintiff State of Minnesota is entitled to damages under Minn. Stat. § 8.31, subd. 3a and treble damages under Minn. Stat. § 325D.57;
- b. disgorgement under Minn. Stat. § 325D.59 and Minn. Stat. Ch. 8;
- c. injunctive relief under Minn. Stat. §§ 325D.58 and Minn. Stat. § 8.31, subd. 3;

- d. costs and reasonable attorneys' fees under Minn. Stat. § 325D.57 and Minn. Stat. § 8.31, subd. 3a; and
- e. civil penalties under Minn. Stat. § 325D.56 and Minn. Stat. § 8.31, subd.

713. The Defendants deceptively misrepresented to Plaintiff State of Minnesota, its state agencies and Minnesota consumers that Defendants' pricing at which the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein were sold, distributed or obtained in Minnesota was competitive and fair.

714. The Defendants' deceptive misrepresentations and failure to disclose material facts had the following effects: (1) generic drug price competition was restrained, suppressed and eliminated throughout Minnesota; (2) generic drug prices were raised, fixed, maintained and stabilized at artificially-high levels throughout Minnesota; (3) Plaintiff State of Minnesota, its state agencies and Minnesota consumers were deprived of free and open markets; and (4) Plaintiff State of Minnesota, its state agencies and Minnesota consumers paid supra-competitive, artificially inflated prices for the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein.

715. The Defendants' deceptive misrepresentations and failure to disclose material facts have caused Plaintiff State of Minnesota, its state agencies, and Minnesota consumers to suffer and to continue to suffer loss of money or property, real or personal, by means of Defendants' use or employment of deceptive commercial practices as set forth above.

716. Defendants violated the deceptive trade practices laws of Minnesota:

- a. Each time a Defendant failed to disclose the existence of a market allocation agreement and/or a price-fixing agreement involving any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein;
- b. Each time a Defendant submitted false or misleading cover bids and/or offers to their customers and wholesalers;

- c. Each time a Defendant provided false or misleading statements to prospective customers related to supply capacity or reasons for bidding or not bidding;
- d. Each time each Plaintiff State of Minnesota, its state agencies and Minnesota consumers paid an artificially inflated price for any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein; and
- e. Each time a request for reimbursement was made to Minnesota for any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein.

717. The Defendants' conduct is unlawful pursuant to the Uniform Deceptive Trade Practices Act of 1973, Minn. Stat. §§ 325D.43-.48 and Minn. Stat. Ch. 8. The aforesaid methods, acts or practices constitute deceptive acts under this Act, including, but not limited to:

- a. Representing "that goods or services have sponsorship, approval, characteristics, ingredients, uses, benefits, or quantities that they do not have or that a person has a sponsorship, approval, status, affiliation, or connection that the person does not have" in violation of Minn. Stat. § 325D.44, subd. 1(5);
- b. Representing "that goods or services are of a particular standard, quality, or grade, or that goods are of a particular style or model, if they are of another" in violation of Minn. Stat. § 325D.44, subd. 1(7); and
- c. Engaging "in any other conduct which similarly creates a likelihood of confusion or of misunderstanding" in violation of Minn. Stat. § 325D.44, subd. 1(13).

718. Some or all of these violations by Defendants were willful.

719. Plaintiff State of Minnesota seeks relief for violations of Uniform Deceptive Trade Practices Act of 1973, Minn. Stat. §§ 325D.43-.48 including but not limited to:

- a. damages for itself, its state agencies that paid for the generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein, and as *parens patriae* on behalf of its consumers under Minn. Stat. § 325D.45, subd. 3 and Minn. Stat. § 8.31, subd. 3a;
- b. disgorgement under Minn. Stat. § 325D.45, subd. 3, Minn. Stat. Ch. 8, and Minnesota common law;

- c. injunctive relief under Minn. Stat. § 325D.45, subd. 1 and Minn. Stat. § 8.31, subd. 3;
- d. costs and reasonable attorneys' fees under Minn. Stat. § 325D.44 and Minn. Stat. § 8.31, subd. 3a; and
- e. civil penalties under Minn. Stat. § 8.31, subd. 3.

720. By reason of the foregoing, the Defendants have been unjustly enriched as a result of the conduct set forth herein with respect to Plaintiff State of Minnesota, its state agencies that paid for the generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein, and its consumers.

721. Plaintiff State of Minnesota, its state agencies that paid for the generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein, and its consumers were purchasers, reimbursers and/or end-payors of Defendants' generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein and have paid amounts far in excess of the competitive prices for such drugs that would have prevailed in a competitive and fair market.

722. Defendants knew of and appreciated, retained, or used, the benefits of Plaintiff State of Minnesota, its state agencies that paid for the generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein, and its consumers' purchases of any of the Defendants' generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein at amounts far in excess of the competitive price. Defendants engaged in the conduct described herein to increase the market share of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein thereby increasing their sales and profits.

723. For those customers that purchase directly or indirectly from Defendants at artificially inflated and supra-competitive prices, Defendants have increased prices above what would have prevailed in a competitive and fair market; thereby, directly benefiting Defendants in the form of increased revenues.

724. Based on Defendants' conduct set forth herein, it would be inequitable and unjust for Defendants to retain such benefits without payment of value.

725. Defendants will be unjustly enriched if they are permitted to retain the direct or indirect benefits received or used resulting from the purchase of any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein by Plaintiff State of Minnesota, its state agencies that paid for the generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein, and its consumers. Plaintiff State of Minnesota, on behalf of itself, its state agencies that paid for the generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein, and as *parens patriae* on behalf of its consumers, seeks to recover the amounts that unjustly enriched the Defendants.

726. Plaintiff State of Minnesota seeks relief, on behalf of itself, its state agencies that paid for the generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein, and as *parens patriae* on behalf of its consumers, and is therefore entitled to equitable relief in the form of an injunction, restitution and disgorgement and any other relief the Court deems appropriate under Minn. Stat. Ch. 8 and Minnesota common law for unjust enrichment.

Mississippi

727. Plaintiff State of Mississippi repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

728. Defendants' acts violate Miss. Code Ann. § 75- 21-1 et seq., and Plaintiff State of Mississippi is entitled to relief under Miss. Code Ann. § 75- 21-1 et seq.

729. The aforesaid conduct was not only anti-competitive but was also unfair and deceptive to the consumers of the State of Mississippi, therefore Defendants' acts violate the Mississippi Consumer Protection Act, Miss. Code Ann. § 75-24-1, et seq., and Plaintiff State of

Mississippi is entitled to relief under the Mississippi Consumer Protection Act, Miss. Code Ann. § 75-24-1, et seq.

730. Pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 75-21-1 et seq., and the Mississippi Consumer Protection Act, Miss. Code Ann. § 75-24-1, et seq., Plaintiff State of Mississippi seeks and is entitled to injunctive relief, damages, disgorgement, civil penalties, costs, attorney fees, and any other just and equitable relief which this Court deems appropriate.

Missouri

731. Plaintiff State of Missouri repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

732. The aforementioned practices by Defendants violate the Missouri Antitrust Law, Missouri Rev. Stat. §§ 416.011 et seq., and Missouri's Merchandising Practices Act, Missouri Rev. Stat. §§ 407.010 et seq., as further interpreted by 15 CSR 60-8.010 et seq. and 15 CSR 60-9.01 et seq., and the State of Missouri is entitled to an injunction, disgorgement, civil penalties and any other relief available under the aforementioned Missouri statutes and regulations.

733. The State of Missouri also seeks its costs and attorney fees incurred in the prosecution of this action.

Montana

734. Plaintiff State of Montana repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

735. Defendants' acts and practices described in this Complaint violate Montana's Unfair Trade Practices and Consumer Protection Act, Mont Code Ann. § 30-14-101 et seq., including § 30-14-103, and Unfair Trade Practices Generally, Mont. Code Ann. § 30-14-201 et seq., including § 30-14-205.

736. Mont. Code Ann § 30-14-103 prohibits unfair methods of competition and unfair or deceptive acts or practices in the conduct of any trade or commerce. Mont. Code Ann. § 30-14-102(8) defines the terms “trade” and “commerce” as meaning “the advertising, offering for sale, sale, or distribution of any services, any property, tangible or intangible, real, personal, or mixed, or any other article, commodity, or thing of value, wherever located, and includes any trade or commerce directly or indirectly affecting the people of this state.”

737. Montana’s standard for ‘unfairness’ as prohibited under Mont. Code Ann. § 30-14-103 is articulated in *Rohrer v. Knudson*, 203 P.3d 759 (Mont. 2009) as an act or practice which “offends established public policy and which is either immoral, unethical, oppressive, unscrupulous or substantially injurious to consumers.”

738. Mont Code Ann. § 30-14-205 states that it is unlawful for a person or group of persons, directly or indirectly:

- (1) to enter an agreement for the purpose of fixing the price or regulating the production of an article of commerce;
- (2) for the purpose of creating or carrying out any restriction in trade to: (a) limit productions; (b) increase or reduce the price of merchandise or commodities; (c) prevent competition in the distribution or sale of merchandise or commodities; (d) fix a standard or figure whereby the price of an article of commerce intended for sale, use, or consumption will be in any way controlled.

739. Defendants’ anticompetitive and unfair and/or deceptive acts and practices in the marketing and sale of pharmaceuticals as described in this Complaint occurred in the conduct of “trade” and “commerce” as defined by Montana law.

740. Defendants' anticompetitive and unfair and/or deceptive acts and practices in the marketing and sale of pharmaceuticals as described in this Complaint offend established public policy. Those acts and practices are also unethical, oppressive, and unscrupulous and have substantially injured and continue to injure Montanans through supra-competitive prices.

741. Defendants' price-fixing and market allocating conduct as described in this Complaint violates the plain language of Mont. Code Ann. § 30-14-205(1) and (2).

742. Defendants' unlawful conduct was willful as defined in Mont. Code Ann. § 30-14-142(4).

743. Plaintiff State of Montana is entitled to all equitable relief and the maximum civil penalties available under Mont. Code Ann. § 30-14-101 et seq. and § 30-14-201 et seq., including but not limited to Mont. Code Ann. §§ 30-14-111(4), -131, -142(2), and -222. Plaintiff State of Montana also seeks reasonable attorneys' fees and costs.

Nebraska

744. Plaintiff State of Nebraska repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

745. Defendants' actions as alleged herein violate the Unlawful Restraint of Trade Act, Neb. Rev. Stat. § 59-801 et seq. and the Consumer Protection Act, Neb. Rev. Stat. § 59-1601 et seq. Specifically, Defendants' actions constitute unreasonable restraints of trade or commerce in violation of Neb. Rev. Stat. § 59-801 and Neb. Rev. Stat. § 59-1603, and Defendants' actions constitute unfair methods of competition in violation of Neb. Rev. Stat. § 59-1602. The sale of pharmaceuticals to the State of Nebraska and its citizens constitutes trade or commerce as defined in Neb. Rev. Stat. § 59-1601. These violations have had an impact, directly and indirectly, upon the public interest of the State of Nebraska, for the State of Nebraska, its state

agencies, and its citizens have been injured and continue to be injured by paying supra-competitive prices for pharmaceuticals purchased directly and/or indirectly from the Defendants.

746. Accordingly, Plaintiff State of Nebraska, on behalf of itself, its state agencies, and as *parens patriae* for all citizens within the state, seeks all relief available under the Unlawful Restraint of Trade Act, the Consumer Protection Act, and Neb. Rev. Stat. § 84-212. Plaintiff State of Nebraska is entitled to relief including, but not limited to: damages, disgorgement, civil penalties, equitable relief, injunctive relief, and its costs and attorney's fees pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 59-803, 59-819, 59-821, 59-1608, 59-1609, 59-1614, and 84-212.

Nevada

747. Plaintiff State of Nevada repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

748. As alleged in Sections IV and VI, *supra*, the Defendants' conduct was and is directed at consumers nationwide, including in Nevada, and was overtly deceptive; not merely anticompetitive. Accordingly, the aforementioned acts and practices by Defendants were, and are, in violation of the Nevada Deceptive Trade Practices Act, Nev. Rev. Stat. § 598.0903, et seq., and specifically the following:

- (a) NRS 598.0915(15), a person engages in a deceptive trade practice by knowingly making a false representation in a transaction;
- (b) NRS 598.0923(2), a person engages in a deceptive trade practice by failing to disclose a material fact in connection with the sale or lease of goods or services; and

- (c) NRS 598.0923(3), a person engages in a deceptive trade practice by violating a state or federal statute or regulation relating to the sale or lease of goods or services.

749. As alleged in Sections IV, V and VI, *supra*, the Defendants' anticompetitive conduct produced, and continues to produce, harm across the Plaintiff States, including in Nevada. Accordingly, the aforementioned acts and practices by Defendants were, and are, also in violation of the Nevada Unfair Trade Practices Act, Nev. Rev. Stat. § 598A.010, et seq., and specifically the following:

- (a) NRS 598A.060(a), competitors unlawfully restrain trade by engaging in price fixing;
- (b) NRS 598A.060(b), competitors unlawfully restrain trade by agreeing to division of markets; and
- (c) NRS 598A.060(c), competitors unlawfully restrain trade by agreeing to allocate customers.

750. Accordingly, Plaintiff State of Nevada seeks all relief available under the Nevada Deceptive Trade Practices Act, the Nevada Unfair Trade Practices Act, and common law. Plaintiff State of Nevada is entitled to relief including but not limited to: disgorgement, injunctions, civil penalties, damages, and its costs and attorney's fees pursuant to Nev. Rev. Stat. §§ 598.0963, 598.0973, 598.0999, 598A.160, 598A.170, 598A.200 and 598A.250.

New Hampshire

751. Plaintiff State of New Hampshire repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

Consolidated Amended Complaint, injunctive relief, disgorgement, restitution, civil penalties and attorneys' fees and investigative costs. N.J.S.A. 56:9-10, -12.

762. Defendants' actions as alleged herein violate the New Jersey Consumer Fraud Act, N.J.S.A. 56:8-1 et seq., in that Defendants' made misleading statements, omitted material facts and engaged in unconscionable commercial practices in connection with the advertising, offering for sale and sale of one or more of the drugs identified in this Consolidated Amended Complaint. N.J.S.A. 56:8-2. Plaintiff State of New Jersey seeks relief including but not limited to, injunctive relief, disgorgement, restitution, civil penalties and attorneys' fees and investigative costs. N.J.S.A. 56:8-8, -11, -13 and -19.

New Mexico

763. Plaintiff State of New Mexico repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

764. The State of New Mexico, through its Attorney General, brings this enforcement action as *parens patriae* in its sovereign and quasi-sovereign capacity and in its proprietary capacity on behalf of the State, including its agencies and entities, to recover damages to the State, its residents, its economy, and all such other relief as may be authorized by statute or common law.

765. The aforementioned actions and practices by Defendants were and are a contract, agreement, combination, or conspiracy in an unreasonable restraint of trade or commerce in New Mexico, thus violating the New Mexico Antitrust Act, N.M. Stat. Ann. § 57-1-1 et seq.

766. The aforementioned actions and practices by Defendants were unfair or deceptive trade practices as they were false or misleading oral or written statements or other representations made in connection with the sale of goods in the regular course of their trade or

commerce, that may, tended to or did deceive or mislead consumers. These practices included false or misleading statements of fact concerning the price of drugs and failures to state material facts about the costs of drugs, actions that deceived or tended to deceive consumers.

Additionally, Defendants' actions constituted unconscionable trade practices, because they resulted in supra-competitive prices for the aforementioned drugs, resulting in a gross disparity between the prices paid by consumers and the value received. These practices and actions violated the New Mexico Unfair Practices Act, N.M. Stat. Ann. § 57-12-1 et. seq.

767. The aforementioned actions and practices by Defendants also constitute unfair competition and unjust enrichment under New Mexico's common law.

768. Accordingly, the State of New Mexico is entitled to the remedies available to it under the New Mexico Antitrust Act, the New Mexico Unfair Practices Act, and New Mexico common law, including injunctive relief, actual, treble, and statutory damages, restitution, disgorgement, civil penalties, costs, attorney's fees, and any other appropriate monetary and injunctive relief. See N.M. Stat. Ann. §§ 57-1-3, -7, -8; N.M. Stat. Ann. § 57-12-8, -10, -11.

New York

769. Plaintiff State of New York repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

770. The aforementioned practices by the Defendants violate New York antitrust law, the Donnelly Act, New York Gen. Bus. Law §§ 340-342c, and constitute both "fraudulent" and "illegal" conduct in violation of New York Executive Law § 63(12).

771. Plaintiff State of New York seeks relief, including but not limited to damages, for New York consumers and New York state entities that paid for one or more of the drugs identified in this Consolidated Amended Complaint during the relevant period and thereby paid

more than they would have paid but for Defendants' unlawful conduct. Plaintiff State of New York also seeks, and is entitled to, civil penalties, injunctive relief, other equitable relief (including but not limited to disgorgement), and fees and costs.

North Carolina

772. Plaintiff State of North Carolina repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

773. Defendants' acts of distributing, marketing and selling generic pharmaceutical drugs to consumers through drug wholesalers and distributors, pharmacy and supermarket chains, and other resellers of generic pharmaceutical drugs and in otherwise engaging in the conduct more fully described herein with respect to the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein, the Defendants are engaging in trade or commerce that directly or indirectly harmed North Carolina consumers pursuant to North Carolina's Unfair and Deceptive Trade Practices Act, N.C. Gen. Stat. § 75-1 *et seq.*

774. The Defendants agreed to, and did in fact, act in restraint of trade or commerce in each generic drug market identified herein that includes North Carolina, by affecting, fixing, controlling and/or maintaining at artificial and non-competitive levels, the prices at which the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein were sold, distributed or obtained in North Carolina, deprived North Carolina consumers from paying a price for the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein which would have been competitive and fair absent the agreement to allocate customers and fix prices.

775. The aforesaid methods, acts or practices constitute unfair methods of competition and/or unfair acts or practices within their meaning under the North Carolina Unfair and

Deceptive Trade Practices Act, and are injurious to North Carolina consumers and the general economy of the State of North Carolina, including, but not limited to:

- a. Violating Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C § 1, through engaging in a market allocation agreement as set forth in the preceding counts;
- b. Violating Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C § 1, through engaging in a price-fixing agreement as set forth in the preceding counts;
- c. Engaging in any conduct which causes substantial injury to consumers.

776. By deceptively misrepresenting and/or omitting material facts concerning the absence of competition in each generic drug market identified herein to the State of North Carolina and North Carolina consumers, the Defendants misled the State of North Carolina and North Carolina consumers into believing that prices for the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein were competitive and fair in violation of the North Carolina Unfair and Deceptive Trade Practices Act.

777. The Defendants agreed to, and did in fact, act in restraint of trade or commerce in each generic drug market identified herein that includes North Carolina, by affecting, fixing, controlling and/or maintaining at artificial and non-competitive levels, the prices at which the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein were sold, distributed or obtained in North Carolina.

778. The Defendants' impairment of choice and the competitive process had the following effects: (1) generic drug price competition was restrained, suppressed and eliminated throughout North Carolina; (2) generic drug prices were raised, fixed, maintained and stabilized at artificially-high levels throughout North Carolina; (3) the State of North Carolina and North Carolina consumers were deprived of free and open markets; and (4) the State of North Carolina

and North Carolina consumers paid supra-competitive, artificially inflated prices for the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein.

779. The Defendants' impairment of choice and the competitive process have caused the State of North Carolina and North Carolina consumers to suffer and to continue to suffer loss of money or property, real or personal, by means of Defendants' use or employment of unfair methods of competition and/or unfair acts or practices as set forth above.

780. The Defendants' deceptive misrepresentations and failure to disclose material facts had the following effects: (1) generic drug price competition was restrained, suppressed and eliminated throughout North Carolina; (2) generic drug prices were raised, fixed, maintained and stabilized at artificially-high levels throughout North Carolina; (3) the State of North Carolina and North Carolina consumers were deprived of free and open markets; and (4) the State of North Carolina and North Carolina consumers paid supra-competitive, artificially inflated prices for the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein.

781. The Defendants' deceptive misrepresentations and failure to disclose material facts have caused the State of North Carolina and North Carolina consumers to suffer and to continue to suffer loss of money or property, real or personal, by means of Defendants' use or employment of deceptive commercial practices as set forth above.

782. Defendants violated the North Carolina Unfair and Deceptive Trade Practices Act:

- a. Each time Defendants agreed to participate in the overarching conspiracy within the generic pharmaceutical drug market as set forth in Paragraphs 85 to 106;

- b. Each time Defendants agreed to allocate the market for specific drugs in the generic pharmaceutical drug market as set forth in Paragraphs 110 to 233;
- c. Each time Defendants agreed to fix prices on the specified drugs in the specified drug markets as set forth in Paragraphs 234 to 431;
- d. Each time the State of North Carolina or a North Carolina consumer paid an unfairly or unconscionably inflated price for any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein;
- e. Each time a Defendant failed to disclose the existence of a market allocation agreement and/or a price-fixing agreement involving any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein;
- f. Each time a Defendant submitted false or misleading cover bids and/or offers to their customers and wholesalers;
- g. Each time a Defendant provided false or misleading statements to prospective customers related to supply capacity or reasons for bidding or not bidding;
- h. Each time a request for reimbursement was made to the State of North Carolina for any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein; and
- i. Each time the State of North Carolina or a North Carolina consumer paid an artificially inflated price for any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein.

783. Plaintiff State of North Carolina is entitled to relief pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 75-1 *et seq.*, including recovery of its costs and attorneys' fees pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 75-16.1.

North Dakota

784. Plaintiff State of North Dakota repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

785. The aforementioned practices by Defendants are in violation of North Dakota's Uniform State Antitrust Act North Dakota Century Code (N.D.C.C.) § 51-08.1-01 *et seq.*, and Plaintiff State of North Dakota is entitled to relief for these violations under N.D.C.C. § 51-08.1-01 *et seq.*

786. The aforementioned practices by Defendants constitute unconscionable or deceptive acts or practices in violation of the North Dakota Consumer Fraud Law, N.D.C.C. §51-15-01 *et seq.*, and Plaintiff State of North Dakota is entitled to relief for those violations under N.D.C.C. §51-15-01 *et seq.*

Ohio

787. Plaintiff State of Ohio repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

788. The aforementioned practices by Defendants were, and are, a *per se* illegal conspiracy against trade in violation of Ohio Revised Code Section 1331.01 *et seq.*, the common law of Ohio, and void pursuant to Ohio Rev. Code § 1331.06. The State of Ohio, the general economy of Ohio, Ohio entities and individuals in Ohio were harmed as a direct result of Defendants' *per se* illegal conduct. Defendants received ill-gotten gains or proceeds as a direct result of their *per se* illegal conduct.

789. Plaintiff State of Ohio seeks and is entitled to an injunction, disgorgement and civil forfeiture pursuant to Ohio Rev. Code § 109.81 and Ohio Rev. Code §§ 1331.01 et seq, including Section 1331.03, which requires a forfeiture of \$500 per day that each violation was committed or continued, and any other remedy available at law or equity.

Oklahoma

790. Plaintiff State of Oklahoma repeats and re-alleges each and every allegation as if fully set forth herein.

791. The aforementioned practices by the Defendants are in violation of the Oklahoma Antitrust Reform Act, 79 O.S. § 201 et seq., and Plaintiff State of Oklahoma is entitled to relief under 79 O.S. § 205, including but not limited to: injunctive relief, disgorgement, costs, attorney's fees and any other appropriate relief for those violations.

Oregon

792. Plaintiff State of Oregon repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

793. The aforementioned practices by Defendants were, and are, in violation of the Oregon Antitrust Law, Oregon Revised Statutes ("ORS") 646.705, et seq. These violations had impacts within the State of Oregon and substantially affected the people of Oregon.

794. Plaintiff State of Oregon seeks all relief available under the Oregon Antitrust Act for Oregon consumers and the State of Oregon, including injunctive, civil penalties, other equitable relief including but not limited to disgorgement, the State of Oregon's costs incurred in bringing this action, plus reasonable attorney fees, expert witness fees, and costs of investigation, and any other remedy available at law for these violations under ORS 646.760, ORS 646.770, ORS 646.775, and ORS 646.780.

Pennsylvania

795. Plaintiff Commonwealth of Pennsylvania repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

Pennsylvania Unfair Trade Practices and Consumer Protection Law

796. In distributing, marketing and selling generic pharmaceutical drugs to consumers through drug wholesalers and distributors, pharmacy and supermarket chains, and other resellers of generic pharmaceutical drugs and in otherwise engaging in the conduct more fully described herein with respect to the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein, the Defendants are engaging in trade or commerce that directly or indirectly harmed the Commonwealth and Pennsylvania consumers in this Commonwealth within the meaning of 73 P. S. § 201-2(3) of the Pennsylvania Unfair Trade Practices and Consumer Protection Law (“PUTPCPL”).

Unfair Methods of Competition and Unfair Acts or Practices

797. By reason of the foregoing, the Defendants have impaired Pennsylvania consumer choice in each generic drug market identified herein.

798. By impairing choice in what should have been a freely competitive marketplace for the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein, the Defendants have deprived Pennsylvania consumers from being able to meaningfully choose from among the options a competitive market would have provided.

799. The Defendants agreed to, and did in fact, act in restraint of trade or commerce in each generic drug market identified herein that includes Pennsylvania, by affecting, fixing, controlling and/or maintaining at artificial and non-competitive levels, the prices at which the

numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein were sold, distributed or obtained in Pennsylvania.

800. The Defendants impaired the competitive process which deprived Pennsylvania consumers from paying a price for the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein which would have been competitive and fair absent the agreement to allocate customers and fix prices.

801. Regardless of the nature or quality of Defendants' aforementioned acts or practices on the competitive process or competition, Defendants' conduct has been otherwise unfair or unconscionable because they offend public policy as established by statutes, the common law, or otherwise, are immoral, unethical, oppressive, unscrupulous, or substantially injurious to consumer.

802. Defendants' unscrupulous conduct has resulted in the Commonwealth and its consumers to be substantially injured in paying more for or not being able to afford the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein.

803. The Defendants' impairment of choice and the competitive process had the following effects: (1) generic drug price competition was restrained, suppressed and eliminated throughout Pennsylvania; (2) generic drug prices were raised, fixed, maintained and stabilized at artificially-high levels throughout Pennsylvania; (3) Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers were deprived of free and open markets; and (4) Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers paid supra-competitive, artificially inflated prices for the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein.

804. The Defendants' impairment of choice and the competitive process have caused the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers to suffer and to continue to

suffer loss of money or property, real or personal, by means of Defendants' use or employment of unfair methods of competition and/or unfair acts or practices as set forth above.

805. Defendants violated the PUTPCPL:

- a. Each time Defendants agreed to participate in the overarching conspiracy within the generic pharmaceutical drug market as set forth in Paragraphs 89 to 109;
- b. Each time Defendants agreed to allocate the market for specific drugs in the generic pharmaceutical drug market as set forth in Paragraphs 113 to 242;
- c. Each time Defendants agreed to fix prices on the specified drugs in the specified drug markets as set forth in Paragraphs 243 to 453; and
- d. Each time the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or a Pennsylvania consumer paid an unfairly or unconscionably inflated price for any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein.

806. The Defendants' conduct more fully described herein is unlawful pursuant to 73 P.S. § 201-3.

807. The aforesaid methods, acts or practices constitute unfair methods of competition and/or unfair acts or practices within their meaning under Sections 2 and 3 of the PUTPCPL, including, but not limited to:

- a. Violating Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C § 1, through engaging in a market allocation agreement as set forth in the preceding counts;
- b. Violating Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C § 1, through engaging in a price-fixing agreement as set forth in the preceding counts;

- c. Violating Pennsylvania antitrust common law through engaging in a market allocation agreement;
- d. Violating Pennsylvania antitrust common law through engaging in a price-fixing agreement; and/or
- e. Engaging in any conduct which causes substantial injury to consumers.

808. The above described conduct substantially injured Pennsylvania consumers and the general economy of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

809. The above described conduct created the likelihood of confusion and misunderstanding relative to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers seeking to exercise a meaningful choice in a market expected to be free of impairment to the competitive process.

810. The above described conduct has been willful within the meaning of 73 P.S. § 201-8 and is unlawful under the PUTPCPL.

811. Pursuant to 71 P.S. § 201-4, the Commonwealth believes that the public interest is served by seeking a permanent injunction to restrain the methods, acts and practices described herein, as well as seeking restoration, disgorgement and attorneys' fees and costs pursuant to 73 P.S. §§ 201-4 and 4.1 for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers and civil penalties of not exceeding \$3,000 for each such willful violation pursuant to 73 P.S. § 201-8 (b). The Commonwealth believes that the Commonwealth and its citizens are suffering and will continue to suffer harm unless the methods, acts and practices complained of herein are permanently enjoined.

Deceptive Acts or Practices

812. By reason of the foregoing, the Defendants have deceptively misrepresented the absence of competition in each generic drug market identified herein to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers in violation of the PUTPCPL.

813. By deceptively misrepresenting and/or omitting material facts concerning the absence of competition in each generic drug market identified herein to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers, the Defendants misled the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers into believing that prices for the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein were competitive and fair.

814. The Defendants agreed to, and did in fact, act in restraint of trade or commerce in each generic drug market identified herein that includes Pennsylvania, by affecting, fixing, controlling and/or maintaining at artificial and non-competitive levels, the prices at which the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein were sold, distributed or obtained in Pennsylvania.

815. The Defendants deceptively misrepresented to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers that Defendants' pricing at which the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein were sold, distributed or obtained in Pennsylvania was competitive and fair.

816. Regardless of the nature or quality of Defendants' aforementioned acts or practices on the competitive process or competition, Defendants' conduct has had the tendency or capacity to deceive.

817. Defendants expressed, implied or otherwise falsely claimed conformance with prescribed bidding practices to their customers and wholesalers in relation to the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein.

818. Defendants expressed, implied or otherwise falsely claimed supply capacity or reasons to prospective customers for bidding or not bidding in relation to the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein.

819. The Defendants' deceptive misrepresentations and failure to disclose material facts had the following effects: (1) generic drug price competition was restrained, suppressed and eliminated throughout Pennsylvania; (2) generic drug prices were raised, fixed, maintained and stabilized at artificially-high levels throughout Pennsylvania; (3) Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers were deprived of free and open markets; and (4) Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers paid supra-competitive, artificially inflated prices for the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein.

820. The Defendants' deceptive misrepresentations and failure to disclose material facts have caused Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers to suffer and to continue to suffer loss of money or property, real or personal, by means of Defendants' use or employment of deceptive commercial practices as set forth above.

821. Defendants violated the PUTPCPL:

- a. Each time a Defendant failed to disclose the existence of a market allocation agreement and/or a price-fixing agreement involving any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein;
- b. Each time a Defendant submitted false or misleading cover bids and/or offers to their customers and wholesalers;

- c. Each time a Defendant provided false or misleading statements to prospective customers related to supply capacity or reasons for bidding or not bidding;
- d. Each time a request for reimbursement was made to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein; and
- e. Each time the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or a Pennsylvania consumer paid an artificially inflated price for any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein.

822. The Defendants' conduct more fully described herein is unlawful pursuant to 73 P. S. § 201-3.

823. The aforesaid methods, acts or practices constitute deceptive acts or practices within their meaning under Sections 2 and 3 of the PUTPCPL, including, but not limited to:

- a. "Representing that goods or services have sponsorship, approval, characteristics, ingredients, uses, benefits or quantities that they do not have or that a person has a sponsorship, approval, status affiliation or connection that he does not have" in violation of 73 P.S. § 201-2(4)(v);
- b. "Representing that goods or services are of a particular standard, quality or grade, or that goods are of a particular style or model, if they are of another" in violation of 73 P.S. § 201-2(4)(vii); and
- c. "Engaging in any other fraudulent or deceptive conduct which creates a likelihood of confusion or of misunderstanding" in violation of 73 P.S. § 201-2(4)(xxi).

824. The above described conduct has been willful within the meaning of 73 P.S. § 201-8 and is unlawful under the PUTPCPL.

825. Pursuant to 71 P.S. § 201-4, the Commonwealth believes that the public interest is served by seeking a permanent injunction to restrain the methods, acts and practices described herein, as well as seeking restoration, disgorgement and attorneys' fees and costs pursuant to 73 P.S. §§ 201-4 and 4.1 for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers and civil penalties of not exceeding \$3,000 for each such willful violation pursuant to 73 P.S. § 201-8 (b). The Commonwealth believes that the Commonwealth and its citizens are suffering and will continue to suffer harm unless the methods, acts and practices complained of herein are permanently enjoined.

Common Law Doctrine against Restraint of Trade

826. By reason of the foregoing, the Defendants have entered into an agreement in restraint of trade to allocate markets and fix prices in each generic drug market identified herein within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

827. The agreements to allocate customers and to fix pricing as set forth in the preceding counts constitute an unreasonable restraint of trade in violation of Pennsylvania antitrust common law.

828. Unless Defendants' overall anticompetitive scheme is enjoined, the Defendants will continue to illegally restrain trade in the relevant market in concert with another in violation of the Pennsylvania common law doctrine against unreasonable restraint of trade.

829. Defendants' conduct in engaging in a contract to unreasonably restrain trade concerning the customers to whom and the prices at which the numerous generic pharmaceutical

drugs identified herein were sold, distributed or obtained in Pennsylvania threatens injury to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers.

830. Defendants' anticompetitive and unlawful conduct alleged herein has injured, is injuring and will continue to injure competition in the relevant market by denying consumer choice and otherwise thwarting competition in the relevant market.

831. The Defendants' contract in restraint of trade had the following effects: (1) generic drug price competition was restrained, suppressed and eliminated throughout Pennsylvania; (2) generic drug prices were raised, fixed, maintained and stabilized at artificially-high levels throughout Pennsylvania; (3) Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers were deprived of free and open markets; and (4) Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers paid supra-competitive, artificially inflated prices for the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein.

832. The Defendants' illegal conduct has had a substantial effect on the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers.

833. As a direct and proximate result of the Defendants' unlawful conduct, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers have been injured in their business and property.

834. On behalf of the Commonwealth and its citizens pursuant to 71 P.S. §732-204 (c), Pennsylvania seeks injunctive relief and disgorgement, or damages in the alternative, under common law.

Common Law Doctrine against Unjust Enrichment

835. By reason of the foregoing, the Defendants have been unjustly enriched as a result of the conduct set forth herein with respect to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers.

836. The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers were purchasers, reimbursers and/or end-payors of Defendants' numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein and have paid amounts far in excess of the competitive prices for such drugs that would have prevailed in a competitive and fair market.

837. Defendants knew of, and appreciated and retained, or used, the benefits of Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers' purchases of any of the Defendants' numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein at amounts far in excess of the competitive price. Defendants engaged in the conduct described herein to increase the market share of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein thereby increasing their sales and profits.

838. For those customers that purchase directly or indirectly from Defendants at artificially inflated and supra-competitive prices, Defendants have increased prices above what would have prevailed in a competitive and fair market; thereby, directly benefiting Defendants in the form of increased revenues.

839. Based on Defendants' conduct set for herein, it would be inequitable and unjust for Defendants to retain such benefits without payment of value.

840. Defendants will be unjustly enriched if they are permitted to retain the direct or indirect benefits received or used resulting from the purchase of any of the numerous generic pharmaceutical drugs identified herein by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania

consumers. The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on behalf of itself and Pennsylvania consumers, seeks to recover the amounts that unjustly enriched the Defendants.

841. The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania consumers are therefore entitled to equitable relief in the form of an injunction, restitution and disgorgement, legal relief in the form of damages and any other relief the Court deems appropriate.

Puerto Rico

842. Plaintiff Commonwealth of Puerto Rico repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

843. The aforementioned practices by Defendants were in violation of Puerto Rico Law No. 77 of June 25, 1964, also known as “Puerto Rico’s Antitrust and Restrictions of Commerce Law”, 10 P.R. Laws Ann. §§ 257 et seq., and 32 P.R. Laws Ann. § 3341.

844. The Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, through its Attorney General, brings this enforcement action as *parens patriae* in its proprietary capacity on behalf of the Commonwealth, including its agencies and entities, to recover damages to the Commonwealth and all such other relief as may be authorized by statute or common law.

845. Accordingly, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico is entitled remedies available under the Puerto Rico’s Antitrust and Restrictions of Commerce Law and 32 P.R. Laws Ann. § 3341, including injunctive relief, civil penalties and damages for the Commonwealth agencies and entities and any other appropriate monetary and injunctive relief.

South Carolina

846. Plaintiff South Carolina repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

847. The aforementioned practices by Defendants constitute "unfair methods of competition and unfair or deceptive acts or practices" under §39-5-20 of the South Carolina Code of Laws. The State of South Carolina asserts claims in a statutory *parens patriae* capacity under S.C. Code § 39-5-50 and a common law *parens patriae* capacity. Pursuant to common law and S.C. Code § 39-5-50(b), South Carolina seeks that this Court restore any ascertainable loss incurred in purchasing the generic drugs at issue. Pursuant to S.C. Code § 39-5-50(a), South Carolina seeks injunctive relief to prohibit Defendants from engaging in the conduct described in this complaint.

848. Defendants knew or reasonably should have known that their conduct violated S.C. Code § 39-5-20. Under S.C. Code § 39-5-110(c), Defendants' conduct therefore constitutes a willful violation of S.C. Code § 39-5-20. Accordingly, South Carolina seeks an award of civil penalties under S.C. Code § 39-5-110(a) in an amount up to \$5,000.00 per violation in South Carolina.

849. South Carolina seeks attorneys' fees and costs under S.C. Code § 39-5-50(a).

Tennessee

850. Plaintiff State of Tennessee repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

851. This is an action that alleges violation of Tennessee's antitrust law, the Tennessee Trade Practices Act, Tenn. Code Ann. §§ 47-25-101 et seq.

852. Defendants directly and/or indirectly through nationwide distributors, wholesalers, and retailers, sold or marketed the generic drugs at issue to the State of Tennessee and its agencies, Tennessee businesses, and individual consumers.

853. Defendants made arrangements or agreements with a view to lessening, or which tend to lessen, full and free competition in the sale in Tennessee of, or which were designed to advance or control the prices charged for, the generic drugs at issue.

854. Defendants' conduct affected Tennessee commerce to a substantial degree and substantially affected the people of Tennessee, by affecting the choice of generic drugs available to, and/or the prices paid by, the State of Tennessee and its agencies, Tennessee businesses, and individual consumers for such generic drugs.

855. The aforementioned conduct by Defendants was in violation of Tennessee's antitrust law, the Tennessee Trade Practices Act, Tenn. Code Ann. §§ 47-25-101 et seq.

856. As a direct and proximate result of Defendants' illegal conduct, the State of Tennessee and its agencies, Tennessee businesses, and individual consumers have been harmed and will continue to be harmed, by, *inter alia*, paying more for generic drugs purchased directly and/or indirectly from the Defendants and their co-conspirators than they would have paid in the absence of the illegal conduct.

857. The State of Tennessee is entitled to relief for purchases of affected generic drugs by the State of Tennessee and its agencies, Tennessee businesses, and individual consumers.

858. On behalf of the State and its agencies, Tennessee businesses, and individual consumers, the State of Tennessee seeks all legal and equitable relief available under the Tennessee Trade Practices Act and the common law, including, but not limited to: damages for purchases of the affected generic drugs; equitable relief including disgorgement and injunctive relief; attorneys' fees and costs; and such other and further relief as this Court deems just and equitable.

Utah

859. Plaintiff State of Utah repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

860. The aforementioned acts by Defendants violate the Utah Antitrust Act, Utah Code §§ 76-10-3101 through 76-10-3118 (the “Act”), and Utah common law. Accordingly, Plaintiff State of Utah, by and through the Attorney General of Utah, on behalf of itself, Utah governmental entities, and as *parens patriae* for its natural persons, is entitled to all available relief under the Act and Utah common law, including, without limitation, damages (including treble damages, where permitted), injunctive relief, including disgorgement, restitution, unjust enrichment, and other equitable monetary relief, civil penalties, and its costs and reasonable attorneys’ fees.

Vermont

861. Plaintiff State of Vermont repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

862. Defendants’ actions alleged herein constitute unfair methods of competition in commerce and thereby violate the Vermont Consumer Protection Act, 9 V.S.A. § 2453. Plaintiff State of Vermont seeks relief, including damages, for Vermont consumers and state entities that paid for one or more of the drugs identified herein during the relevant period and thereby paid more than they would have paid but for Defendants' unlawful conduct. Plaintiff State of Vermont seeks and is entitled to injunctive relief, civil penalties, other equitable relief (including but not limited to restitution and disgorgement), and its costs and fees for these violations pursuant to 9 V.S.A. §§ 2458 and 2465.

Virginia

863. Plaintiff Commonwealth of Virginia repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

864. The aforementioned practices by Defendants are in violation of the Virginia Antitrust Act, Virginia Code Sections 59.1-9.1, et seq. These violations substantially affect the people of Virginia and have impacts within the Commonwealth of Virginia.

865. Plaintiff Commonwealth of Virginia, through the Attorney General, brings this action pursuant to the Virginia Antitrust Act, Virginia Code Section 59.1-9.15. Pursuant to Sections 59.1-9.15(a) and (d), Plaintiff Commonwealth of Virginia seeks disgorgement, restitution, and other equitable relief as well as civil penalties for these violations. In addition, pursuant to Sections 59.1-9.15(b), the Plaintiff Commonwealth of Virginia seeks reasonable fees and costs for the investigation and litigation.

Washington

866. Plaintiff State of Washington repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

867. The aforementioned practices by Defendants were, and are, in violation of the Washington Consumer Protection Act, Wash. Rev. Code 19.86.020 and .030. Defendants have also engaged in conduct in violation of RCW 19.82.020 that is not a reasonable business practice and constitutes incipient violations of antitrust law and/or unilateral attempts to fix prices or allocate markets. These violations have impacts within the State of Washington and substantially affect the people of Washington.

868. Plaintiff State of Washington seeks relief, including but not limited to damages, for Washington consumers and Washington state agencies that paid more for the generic drugs at

issue than they would have paid but for the Defendants' unlawful conduct. Plaintiff State of Washington also seeks, and is entitled to, injunctive relief, other equitable relief (including but not limited to disgorgement), civil penalties, and costs and fees under the Consumer Protection Act, Wash Rev. Code 19.86.080 and 19.86.140.

West Virginia

869. Plaintiff State of West Virginia repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

870. Defendants' acts violate the West Virginia Antitrust Act, see W. Va. Code § 47-18-1 et seq. These violations substantially affected the State of West Virginia and had impacts within the State of West Virginia.

871. West Virginia affirmatively expresses that the State is not seeking any relief in this action for the federal share of funding for West Virginia's Medicaid Program.

872. Claims for damages for any federal monies expended by the State of West Virginia are hereby expressly disavowed.

873. Plaintiff State of West Virginia is entitled all equitable relief (including injunctive relief, disgorgement, restitution, and reimbursement), as well as civil penalties under West Virginia Code § 47-18-1 et seq.

874. Plaintiff State of West Virginia also is entitled to recover its costs and attorneys' fees under West Virginia Code § 47-18-9.

Wisconsin

875. Plaintiff State of Wisconsin repeats and re-alleges each and every preceding allegation as if fully set forth herein.

876. The aforementioned practices by Defendants are in violation of Wisconsin's Antitrust Act, Wis. Stat. Ch. § 133.03 et seq. These violations substantially affect the people of Wisconsin and have impacts within the State of Wisconsin.

877. Plaintiff State of Wisconsin, under its antitrust enforcement authority in Wis. Stat. Ch. 133, is entitled to all remedies available at law or in equity under Wis. Stat. §§ 133.03, 133.14, 133.16, 133.17, and 133.18.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

Accordingly, the Plaintiff States request that the Court:

- A. Adjudge and decree that Defendants violated Section 1 of the Sherman Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1;
- B. Adjudge and decree that the foregoing activities violated each of the State statutes enumerated in this Consolidated Amended Complaint;
- C. Enjoin and restrain, pursuant to federal and state law, Defendants, their affiliates, assignees, subsidiaries, successors, and transferees, and their officers, directors, partners, agents and employees, and all other persons acting or claiming to act on their behalf or in concert with them, from continuing to engage in any anticompetitive conduct and from adopting in the future any practice, plan, program, or device having a similar purpose or effect to the anticompetitive actions set forth above;
- D. Award to Plaintiff States disgorgement of the Defendants' ill-gotten gains and any other equitable relief as the Court finds appropriate to redress Defendants' violations of federal law or state antitrust and consumer protection laws to restore competition;
- E. Award to the Plaintiff States damages, including treble damages, to the extent sought pursuant to applicable state laws as enumerated in Count Nineteen of this Consolidated Amended Complaint;
- F. Award to each Plaintiff State the maximum civil penalties allowed by law as enumerated in Count Nineteen of this Consolidated Amended Complaint;
- G. Award to each Plaintiff State its costs, including reasonable attorneys' fees; and
- H. Order any other relief that this Court deems proper.

JURY DEMAND

The Plaintiff States demand a trial by jury, pursuant to Rule 38(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, on all issues triable as of right by jury.

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