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2 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
3 **FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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5 SHARRON THOMAS,

6 Plaintiff,

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8 v.

9 TAKEDA PHARMACEUTICALS USA,
10 INC., TAKEDA PHARMACEUTICALS
11 AMERICA, INC.; TAKEDA
12 PHARMACEUTICALS
13 INTERNATIONAL INC.; TAKEDA
14 DEVELOPMENT CENTER AMERICAS,
15 INC.; TAKEDA GMBH; TAKEDA
16 PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANY
17 LIMITED; TAKEDA
18 PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANY
19 LIMITED,

20 Defendants.

CASE NO. 1:16-CV-01566-LJO-
EPGx

Hon. Lawrence J. O'Neill
Courtroom 4

**ORDER GRANTING JOINT
MOTION FOR A STAY
PENDING THE JUDICIAL
PANEL ON MULTIDISTRICT
LITIGATION'S RESOLUTION
OF THE MOTION TO
TRANSFER PURSUANT TO 28
U.S.C. § 1407**

Action Filed: October 14, 2016
Trial Date: None Set

21 The Joint Motion For A Stay Pending The Judicial Panel On Multidistrict
22 Litigation's Resolution Of The Motion To Transfer Pursuant To 28 U.S.C. § 1407
23 submitted by the parties, Takeda Pharmaceuticals, U.S.A., Inc., Takeda
24 Pharmaceuticals International, Inc., Takeda Development Center Americas, Inc.
25 and Takeda Pharmaceuticals America, Inc. ("Takeda") and Plaintiff Sharron
26 Thomas ("Plaintiff") on January 9, 2017, the Court, having received all evidence
27 and the matter having been submitted, ORDERS as follows:

28 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. All proceedings in this action are stayed pending the decision of the
Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation ("JPML") on the motion Plaintiff's

1 counsel filed on October 17, 2016 to transfer this action and fifteen others to a
2 multidistrict litigation, which Plaintiff's counsel requested be established in the
3 United States District Court for the Middle District of Louisiana. See Ex. 1,
4 Memorandum in Support of Plaintiffs' Motion for Transfer of Actions to the
5 United States District Court for the Middle District of Louisiana Pursuant to 28
6 U.S.C. § 1407 and JPML Rule 7.2 for Coordinated Pretrial Proceedings; and Ex. 2,
7 In re: Proton-Pump Inhibitor Product Liability Litigation (MDL No. 2757),
8 Schedule of Actions.

9 2. The Scheduling Conference set for January 26, 2017, along with
10 corresponding deadlines for the parties to meet and confer and submit a Joint
11 Scheduling Report in advance of the Scheduling Conference, is adjourned,
12 including a stay of all corresponding deadlines for the parties to hold a discovery
13 conference and submit a Joint Scheduling Report, until after the JPML decides the
14 motion requesting an MDL.

15 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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17 Dated: January 10, 2017

/s/ Lawrence J. O'Neill
UNITED STATES CHIEF DISTRICT JUDGE

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