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18 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
19 **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**  
20 **SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION**

21 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, *ex rel.* )  
22 STROM )  
23 Plaintiff, )  
24 v. )  
25 SCIOS, INC. and JOHNSON & JOHNSON )  
26 Defendants. )

Case No. C 05-3004 CRB (JSC)

**JOINT STATUS REPORT**

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Joint Status Report, No. C 05-3004 CRB (JSC)

1 Plaintiffs, the United States of America and Relator Joe Strom, and Defendants, Scios,  
2 Inc. and Johnson & Johnson, respectfully submit this Joint Status Report.

3 1. On April 10, 2013, the Court issued an order based on the parties' stipulation to  
4 continue the stay of this case.

5 2. A status conference is scheduled for May 24, 2013.

6 3. As we have previously reported, the United States and Defendants have reached an  
7 agreement in principle on settling the above-captioned case.

8 4. The parties are continuing to negotiate the terms of the resolution of this matter.  
9 Since the last status report, progress has been made but the parties need additional time to  
10 complete the process and request that the Court reschedule the May 24, 2013 status conference to  
11 July 12, 2013, with another status report due on July 5, 2013.

12 5. Should the settlement be resolved prior to July 12, 2013, the parties will so  
13 notify the Court.

14 Respectfully submitted,

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20 Dated: May 10, 2013

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Dated: May 9, 2013

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**ORDER**

Pursuant to stipulation, IT IS SO ORDERED. The status conference currently scheduled for May 24, 2013 at 8:30 a.m. shall be vacated and rescheduled for July 12, 2013 at 8:30 a.m. A joint status report is due no later than July 5, 2013. The previous stay entered in the case continues.

Dated: May 10, 2013

