## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

IN RE: YASMIN AND YAZ	)	3:09-md-02100-DRH-PMF
(DROSPIRENONE) MARKETING, SALES	)	
PRACTICES AND PRODUCTS LIABILITY	)	MDL No. 2100
LITIGATION	)	

## This Document Relates to:

Kaitlyn Lester, et al. v. Bayer Corporation, et al. 1 No. 3:11-cv-13373-DRH-PMF Dawn Lindley, et al. v. Bayer Corporation, et al.<sup>2</sup> No. 3:11-cv-12574-DRH-PMF Kimberly Lopez, et al. v. Bayer Corporation, et al.<sup>3</sup> No. 3:13-cv-10369-DRH-PMF Evelyn Masters, et al. v. Bayer HealthCare No. 3:13-cv-10435-DRH-PMF Pharmaceuticals Inc., et al.4 Michelle Maynard, et al v. Bayer Schering No. 3:11-cv-10337-DRH-PMF Pharma AG. et al.<sup>5</sup> Lisa McCall, et al v. Bayer Corporation, et al.<sup>6</sup> No. 3:13-cv-10492-DRH-PMF Jessica McDaniel, et al v. Bayer Corporation, et al.<sup>7</sup> No. 3:13-cv-10096-DRH-PMF Victoria Melton, et al v. Bayer HealthCare No. 3:10-cv-13664-DRH-PMF Pharmaceuticals Inc., et al.<sup>8</sup> Carrie Miller, et al v. Bayer HealthCare No. 3:13-cv-10475-DRH-PMF Pharmaceuticals Inc., et al.<sup>9</sup>

<sup>1</sup> This order applies to only plaintiff Betty Glover.

Jamie Milligan, et al v. Bayer Corporation, et al. 10

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This order applies to only plaintiff Paula Muscarella.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> This order applies to only plaintiff Stephanie Figueroa.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> This order applies to only plaintiff Misty Grantham.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> This order applies to only plaintiff Aurora Abousaid.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> This order applies to all plaintiffs in the *McCall* case: Lisa McCall, Katie McLean, Becky Milkovitz, Rebecca Monahan, and Dana Moore.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> This order applies to only plaintiff Sindyrell Johnson.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> This order applies to only plaintiff Victoria Melton.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> This order applies to all plaintiffs in the *Miller* case: Carrie Miller, Danielle Miller, Amanda Mosley, Carmen Richerson, and Rebecca Sande.

Dawnette Montes, et al v. Bayer Corporation, et al. 11	No. 3:10-cv-20265-DRH-PMF
Julie Mora, et al $v$ . Bayer Corporation, et al. $^{12}$	No. 3:13-cv-10496-DRH-PMF
Allicia Myers, et al v. Bayer HealthCare Pharmaceuticals Inc., et al. <sup>13</sup>	No. 3:13-cv-10474-DRH-PMF
Rebecca Parker, et al v. Bayer HealthCare Pharmaceuticals Inc., et al. 14	No. 3:13-cv-10480-DRH-PMF
Zaida Perez, et al v. Bayer Pharmaceuticals Corporation, et al. 15	No. 3:10-cv-12240-DRH-PMF
Tawnya Portwood, et al $v$ . Bayer Corporation, et al. $^{16}$	No. 3:12-cv-11405-DRH-PMF
Leslie Rhinehart, et al v. Bayer Corporation, et al. 17	No. 3:11-cv-13555-DRH-PMF
Yvonne Richardson Campbell, et al v. Bayer Corporation, et al. <sup>18</sup>	No. 3:11-cv-12333-DRH-PMF
Sara Roberson, et al v. Bayer Corporation, et al. 19	No. 3:13-cv-10499-DRH-PMF
Jade Ruiz, et al v. Bayer HealthCare Pharmaceuticals Inc., et al. <sup>20</sup>	No. 3:13-cv-10479-DRH-PMF

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> This order applies to only plaintiff April Cabrera.

This order applies to only plaintiff Kelly Blalock.

This order applies to only plaintiffs Rachelle Niell, Katie Patridge, and Cassandra Richardson.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> This order applies to all plaintiffs in the *Allicia Myers* case: Allicia Myers, Rachel Simpkins, Tessa Strange, Jennifer Vasquez, and Beatriz Zamarripa.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> This order applies to only plaintiffs Rebecca Parker, Huckleberry Rarh, Danielle Rhodes, and Erika Rolbiecki.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> This order applies to only plaintiff Katie McClaren.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> This order applies to only plaintiff Britney Lewis.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> This order applies to only plaintiff Lorelei Holm.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> This order applies to only plaintiff Yvonne Richardson Campbell.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> This order applies to only plaintiffs Sara Roberson, Nahathie Rodriguez, Jennifer Soule, and Caitlin Strole.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> This order applies to all plaintiffs in the *Jade Ruiz* case: Jade Ruiz, Angie Still, Myisha Thomas, Lauren Topolosky, and Jennifer Walter.

## ORDER REGARDING MOTION TO DISMISS WITH PREJUDICE

## HERNDON, Chief Judge:

On April 25, 2014, Bayer filed a motion seeking with prejudice dismissal, of the above captioned plaintiffs' claims. The motion seeks dismissal, pursuant to Case Management Order 60 ("CMO 60"), for failure to submit *any* Claim Package Materials.<sup>21</sup>

Pursuant to the Court's local rules, the plaintiffs had 30 days to file a responsive pleading. None of the above captioned plaintiffs filed a responsive pleading. At the expiration of the responsive pleading deadline, as is required under CMO 60, the motion was considered by Special Master Stephen Saltzburg.<sup>22</sup> On June 3, 2014, Special Master's Saltzburg's report and recommendation relating to the above captioned cases was docketed. Special Master Saltzburg found that the subject plaintiffs failed to comply with the requirements of CMO 60 and recommended that the subject plaintiffs' claims be dismissed with prejudice in accord with the requirements of CMO 60.

In each case, the parties were given 14 days to respond or object to Special Master Saltzburg's report and recommendation. The 14 day deadline for

Pursuant to the "Settlement Agreement," Exhibit A to CMO 60, plaintiffs enrolled in the Gallbladder Resolution Program are required to submit to the Claims Administrator all the Claim Package Materials identified in Section 3.03(a) of the Settlement Agreement. Section 3.01 of the Settlement Agreement fixed November 18, 2013 as the deadline for submission of a complete Claims Package. The subject motion asserts that the plaintiffs have failed to comply with this requirement.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> Section VIII of CMO 60 "appoints Professor Stephen Saltzburg as Special Master to hear motions to dismiss claims that fail to comply with the terms of the Agreement, and to recommend to this Court rulings on such motions, as specified in the Agreement" (Doc. 2739 p. 8).

responding or objecting to the Special Master's report has expired. None of the

above captioned plaintiffs has responded or objected.

Upon consideration of Bayer's motion to dismiss, the Special Master's report, and the requirements of CMO 60, the Court finds that the above captioned plaintiffs have failed to comply with CMO 60. Accordingly, the Court adopts Special Master Saltzburg's report and recommendation. The above captioned

plaintiffs' claims are **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE** for failure to comply with

Date: June 24, 2014

the requirements of CMO 60.

SO ORDERED:

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David R. Herndon

Date: 2014.06.24

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Chief Judge

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**United States District Court** 

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