## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

STATE OF NEW YORK ex rel. KHANZADIAN,	) Civ. A. No.: 5:17-cv-742 ) (LEK/ATB)
Plaintiff,	) (Lead Case) U.S. DISTRICT COURT N.D. OF N.Y.
<b>v.</b>	FILED
PURDUE PHARMA, INC., et al.,	NOV 3 0 2017
Defendants.	LAWRENCE K. BAERMAN, CLERK ALBANY
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ex rel. KHANZADIAN,	) Civ. A. No.: 5:17-ev-743 ) (LEK/ATB)
Plaintiff,	) (Member Case)
<b>v.</b>	
PURDUE PHARMA, INC., et al.,	)
Defendants.	}

## STIPULATION AND ORDER OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL WITHOUT PREJUDICE OF FALSE CLAIMS ACT CASES UPON CONSENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE STATE OF NEW YORK

WHEREAS, on or about July 7, 2017, Relator filed the above-captioned *qui tam* actions under seal pursuant to the federal False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, *et seq.*, and the New York False Claims Act, N.Y. State Fin. Law § 187, *et seq.*;

WHEREAS, the Court consolidated these actions by Order dated October 2, 2017;

WHEREAS, the State of New York consents to the dismissal of Case No. 5:17-cv-742 without prejudice to the State of New York, pursuant to N.Y. State Fin. Law § 190(5)(a);

WHEREAS, the United States consents to the dismissal of Case No. 5:17-cv-743 without prejudice to the United States, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. § 3730(b)(1);

WHEREAS, Relator wishes to voluntarily dismiss these actions pursuant to the Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1) without prejudice to the United States, the State of New York, and Relator;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby stipulated and ORDERED that:

- 1. Case No. 5:17-cv-742 (LEK/ATB) is dismissed in its entirety without prejudice to the State of New York and Relator;
- 2. Case No. 5:17-cv-743 (LEK/ATB) is dismissed in its entirety without prejudice to the United States and Relator;
- 3. This Stipulation and Order shall be entered on the docket of case No. 5:17-cv-742 (LEK/ATB) and case No. 5:17-cv-743 (LEK/ATB), and each case shall be closed.
- 4. Upon entry of this Order, the seal shall be lifted with respect to all filings in these cases (including this Order) except for the United States' Motion to Extend Time to Intervene (Dkt. # 6 in 5:17-cv-743), which reflects confidential information concerning the government's investigation.

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IT IS SO ORDERED:

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Dated: October\_\_\_\_, 2017

Hon. Lawrence E. Kahn

Senior United States District Judge