UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA EVANSVILLE DIVISION

In re: Midwestern Pet Foods Marketing, Sales Practices and Product Liability Litigation Case No. 3:21-cv-00007-RLY-MPB

PLAINTIFFS' UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT

Plaintiffs Kelleen Reagan, Marcia Berger, Tammy Johnson, Harvey Williams, Jannette Kern, Ashley Lill, Charles Foster, James Buechler, Sue Flynn, Tiffany Carlson, Connor Staponski, Shannon Proulx, Stephanie Romero, Shanda Marshall, Owen Woodall, David Starnes, Chanler Potts, Vollie Griffin, Henry Franco, Jr., Robert Lee, and Crystal Fabela ("Plaintiffs"), by and through their attorneys, respectfully move the Court for an Order:

1. Granting preliminary approval of the proposed class action Settlement;

2. Preliminarily certifying, for settlement purposes only, and pursuant to the terms of the Settlement Agreement, the proposed Settlement Class for the purposes of providing notice to the Members of the proposed Settlement Class, approving the form and content of, and directing the distribution of the proposed Class Notice, attached as Exhibit B to the Settlement Agreement;

3. Authorizing and directing the Parties to retain Epiq as the Settlement Administrator;

Appointing Jeffrey S. Goldenberg of Goldenberg Schneider, L.P.A, Rosemary M.
Rivas of Gibbs Law Group LLP, and Kenneth A. Wexler of Wexler Boley & Elgersma LLP as
Class Counsel.

5. Scheduling a date for the Final Approval Hearing not earlier than August 14, 2023.

In support of this Motion, Plaintiff relies upon the accompanying Memorandum in Support of Unopposed Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Action Settlement ("Memorandum"); the Declaration of Jeffrey S. Goldenberg ("Goldenberg Decl.") attached as Exhibit 3 to the Memorandum; the Declaration of Cameron Azari ("Azari Decl.") attached as Exhibit E to the Settlement Agreement; the Settlement Agreement attached as Exhibit 1 to the Memorandum¹; the records, pleadings, and papers filed in this action; and such other documentary and oral evidence or argument as may be presented to the Court at or prior to the hearing of this Motion.

A Proposed Order Granting Preliminary Approval to this Settlement is attached as Exhibit 2 to the Memorandum.

Dated: January 9, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Jeffrey S. Goldenberg

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¹ Class Counsel are still collecting several signatures to the Settlement Agreement and will supplement the record with a fully executed Settlement Agreement in the near future.

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CERTFICIATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on January 9, 2023, a copy of the foregoing PLAINTIFFS'

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SETTLEMENT was filed electronically. Service of this filing will be made on all ECF-

registered counsel by operation of the court's electronic filing system. Parties may access this filing through the court's system.

<u>/s/ Jeffrey S. Goldenberg</u>