



Upon consideration of the End-Payor Plaintiffs' Motion for Authorization to Disseminate Notice to the End-Payor Plaintiff Settlement Classes<sup>1</sup> ("Motion") it is hereby ORDERED as follows:

1. The Motion is hereby **GRANTED**.
2. Unless otherwise set forth herein, all defined terms shall have the same meaning ascribed to them in the settlement agreements.

Notice to Potential Class Members

3. The Court approves the form and content of the: (a) Notice of Proposed Settlement of End-Payor Plaintiffs' Class Action with Settling Defendants ("Notice"), attached hereto as Exhibit "A"; and (b) Summary Notice of Proposed Settlement of End-Payor Plaintiffs' Class Action with Settling Defendants ("Summary Notice"), attached hereto as Exhibit "B."

4. The Court finds that the posting and publication of the Notice and Summary Notice, respectively, in the manner set forth herein constitutes the best notice practicable under the circumstances and is valid, due and sufficient notice to all persons entitled thereto and complies fully with the requirements of Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23 and the due process requirements of the Constitution of the United States.

5. The Court appoints Garden City Group, LLC ("GCG") as the Settlement Administrator.

6. The Court appoints Kinsella Media LLC ("Kinsella") as the Notice Administrator for purposes of the implementation of the notice program.

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<sup>1</sup> End-Payor Plaintiffs have reached settlements with the following Defendants relating to the following motor vehicle component parts: (1) Hitachi Automotive Systems, Ltd. ("HIAMS") (*Alternators; Starters; Ignition Coils; Motor Generators; Inverters; Air Flow Meters; Fuel Injection Systems; Valve Timing Control Devices; and Electronic Throttle Bodies*); and (2) T.RAD Co., Ltd. and TRAD North America, Inc. (together, "T.RAD") (*Automatic Transmission Fluid Warmers and Radiators*).

7. Within Sixty (60) days after the date of entry of this Order, GCG shall launch the toll-free hotline and Settlement Website, and publish relevant documents on the Settlement Website.

8. Within Sixty (60) days of entry of this Order, Kinsella shall commence publication of the Summary Notice in newspaper supplements, newspaper, and trade and consumer publications; begin online media notice activities, including posting Internet banner ads and keyword search; and begin earned media activities in the manner set forth in the Notice Program as described in the Declaration of Katherine Kinsella on Adequacy of Notice Plan, filed contemporaneously herewith.

9. One Hundred Fifteen (115) days after entry of this Order, Kinsella and GCG shall file with the Court affidavits or declarations of the persons under whose general direction the posting of the Notice and publication of the Summary Notice, were made, showing that mailing, posting and publication were made in accordance with this Order.

10. One Hundred Fifty-Five (155) days after entry of this Order, Counsel shall file with the Court their Motion for Final Approval of the Settlements, Motion for Reimbursement of Costs and Expenses and for the Establishment of a Fund for Future Litigation Expenses and, if Settlement Class Counsel elects, Motion for Attorneys' Fees by Settlement Class Counsel and Incentive Awards for the Named Class Representatives.

11. All requests for exclusion from the Settlement Classes must be in writing, postmarked no later than One Hundred Eighty-Five (185) days after entry of this Order and must otherwise comply with the requirements set forth in the Notice.

12. Any member of the Settlement Classes who objects to the proposed settlements with HIAMS or T.RAD must do so in writing, specifically referencing which of the settlements

the Class member objects to, postmarked no later than One Hundred Eighty-Five (185) days after the Publication Notice Date and must otherwise comply with the requirements set forth in the Notice.

13. Each member of the Settlement Classes shall retain all rights and causes of action with respect to claims against every defendant other than the Settling Defendants, regardless of whether such member of the Settlement Classes decides to remain in, or request exclusion from, any or all of the Settlement Classes.

14. The Court will hold a Fairness Hearing on **MAY 4, 2016, AT 2:00 P.M.** [not earlier than Two Hundred Fifteen (215) days] after entry of this Order, at the Theodore Levin U.S. Courthouse, Courtroom 272, 231 West Lafayette Blvd., Detroit MI, 48226, to determine the fairness, reasonableness, and adequacy of the proposed settlements with the Settling Defendants, and to consider whether to approve the request to utilize a portion of the Settlement Funds to pay plaintiffs' counsels' litigation expenses and fees and to establish a fund for future litigation expenses, if requested. Any Settlement Class member who follows the procedure set forth in the Notice may appear and be heard at this hearing. The Fairness Hearing may be rescheduled, adjourned or continued without further notice to the Settlement Classes.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Date: September 24, 2015

s/Marianne O. Battani  
MARIANNE O. BATTANI  
United States District Judge

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certifies that the foregoing Order was served upon counsel of record via the Court's ECF System to their respective email addresses or First Class U.S. mail to the non-ECF participants on September 24, 2015.

s/ Kay Doaks  
Case Manager