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VIA EMAIL

RE: Opioid Litigation Settlement / Backstop Fund Wave 2 / Amended Schedule

Dear All:

On September 19, 2025, the Special Master proposed a schedule for application submissions, comments, and the issuance of attorney fee awards. The initial schedule requested submissions by October 29, 2025. The Special Master received timely applications from Briol Benson, Lockridge Grindal, Keller Postman, and Crueger Dickinson. Due to delays and technical difficulties, the application materials were not uploaded to the AGO website in accordance with the Fee Guidelines. As a result, the Special Master has elected to extend certain deadlines, outlined below.

Amended Wave 2 Schedule

- December 1, 2025 – Any comments, objections, or issues regarding application materials from any interested party due.
- December 15, 2025 – Special Master's Interim Order issued.
- December 31, 2025 - Any comments, objections, or issues regarding the Interim Order due.
- January 19, 2026 – Final Order on Backstop Applications.

We look forward to continuing the fee application process for Wave 2 pursuant to the deadlines identified above. Please contact us with any questions.



Best regards,

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