

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA**

**IN RE: XARELTO (RIVAROXABAN) PRODUCTS * MDL NO. 2592
LIABILITY LITIGATION**

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* JUDGE ELDON E. FALLON
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* MAG. JUDGE NORTH**

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PRETRIAL ORDER #2

Pursuant to Pretrial Order #1, issued by this Court on December 17, 2014, the Court has received applications for the position of Plaintiffs' Liaison Counsel and finds that Gerald E. Meunier and Leonard A. Davis are well qualified to carry out the duties and responsibilities of the position. Accordingly, the Court hereby appoints Gerald E. Meunier, 2800 Energy Centre, 1100 Poydras St., New Orleans, LA 70163, and Leonard A. Davis, 820 O'Keefe Ave., New Orleans, Louisiana 70113, to serve as Co-Plaintiffs' Liaison Counsel.

The responsibilities of Co-Plaintiffs' Liaison Counsel shall be the following:

1. to serve as the recipient for all Court orders on behalf of all of the plaintiffs;
2. to coordinate service and filings for all plaintiffs whether presently included or subsequently added;
3. to maintain and distribute to co-counsel and to Defendants' Liaison Counsel an up-to-date service list;
4. to receive and distribute pleadings, orders, and motions by overnight courier service and/or telecopier within two days after receipt, unless such service has been waived, in writing, by a receiving counsel (until some program for electronic service can be arranged and agreed upon);
5. to coordinate the establishment of a document depository, real or virtual, to be available to all participating plaintiffs' counsel;

6. to maintain and make available to all participating plaintiffs' counsel of record at reasonable hours a complete file of all documents served by or upon each party (except such documents as may be available at a document depository);
7. to prepare agendas for court conferences and periodically report regarding the status of the case; and
8. to carry out such other duties as the Court may order.

Liaison counsel shall be entitled to seek reimbursement for costs expended at the time and in a manner approved by the Court.

New Orleans, Louisiana this 16th day of January, 2015.


UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE