



# County of Santa Barbara

## BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

### Minute Order

July 12, 2022

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**Present:** 5 - Supervisor Williams, Supervisor Hart, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Nelson, and Supervisor Lavagnino

COUNTY COUNSEL

File Reference No. 22-00665

**RE:** Consider recommendations regarding a Statewide Allocation Agreement regarding Mallinckrodt plc Bankruptcy Distributions (In re Mallinckrodt plc, Case No. 20-12522 (JTD)); County of Santa Barbara v. Purdue Pharma, et al. (Case No. 1:17-MD-2804)), as follows:

a) Approve and authorize County Counsel or her designee to negotiate and execute a Statewide Allocation Agreement with the State of California for local control of funds distributed from the Mallinckrodt plc et al bankruptcy (In re Mallinckrodt plc, Case No. 20-12522 (JTD)) to partially settle the prescription opioid litigation County of Santa Barbara and the People of the State of California v. Purdue Pharma, et al. (Case No. 1:17-MD-2804); and

b) Determine that the above action is not a project under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Sections 15378(b)(4) and 15378(b)(5) because it consists of government administrative or fiscal activities that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment.

**A motion was made by Supervisor Williams, seconded by Supervisor Hart, that this matter be acted on as follows:**

a) **Approved and authorized; and**

b) **Approved.**

**The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Ayes:** 5 - Supervisor Williams, Supervisor Hart, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Nelson, and Supervisor Lavagnino