

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
SOUTHEASTERN DIVISION**

IN RE: DICAMBA HERBICIDES) 1:18-md-2820 SNLJ
LITIGATION) ALL CASES

JOINT STATUS REPORT

The Parties jointly submit this Status Report pursuant to this Court's Order entered February 3, 2023 [ECF 640] to advise the Court as to the status of the MDL.

Active Cases in the MDL

In the Coy's Honey Farm Inc. case (1:21-cv-00089), defendants have filed answers to Plaintiff's Second Amended Complaint. Plaintiff has served it's Pre-Trial Disclosure Pursuant to Federal Rule 16(a)(3) and Local Rule 3.01 and 3.02. On March 15, 2023, the parties filed a Joint Scheduling Plan (ECF 47).

There have been settlement discussion in the Flamm Orchard case (4:18-cv-01849) but no resolution. There are no pending motions or deadlines.

The Parties are not aware of any other cases in the MDL that are not otherwise addressed or covered by the Soybean Growers Settlement (discussed below).

Soybean Growers Settlement

There have been 300 settlement claims approved in the soybean growers settlement and 291 rejected claims are currently on appeal to the Appeals Master.

Notices of claim amounts have been sent to claimants. Claimants have certain specified

appeal rights regarding those claim amounts. We expect settlement payments to begin in the coming months, and dismissals of related MDL cases would follow thereafter.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on April 3, 2023, the foregoing was filed electronically with the Clerk of Court to be served by operation of the Court's electronic filing system to all counsel of record.

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