

**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), the parties filed a Joint Motion for Entry of a Proposed Case Management Order on March 15, 2023 and the Motion is pending. (ECF 47).

There have been settlement discussions 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 313 soybean settlement claims approved, and there are currently 221 claims on appeal to the Appeals Master. The parties have been streamlining the work of the auditor to expedite finalization of the settlement. Monsanto will begin funding the Dicamba Claims Trust next month relating to those claimants whose appeal

rights have expired. We expect settlement payments to claimants to begin in the ensuing months, and dismissals of related MDL cases would follow thereafter.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on June 30, 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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