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**IN RE: CHINESE-MANUFACTURED DRYWALL
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION**

Robert P. Meister, III v. Knauf Gips, KG, et al.,
M.D. Florida, C.A. No. 2:10-48

10-860
MDL No. 2047

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CONDITIONAL TRANSFER ORDER (CTO-14)

On June 15, 2009, the Panel transferred nine civil actions to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana for coordinated or consolidated pretrial proceedings pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1407. See 626 F.Supp.2d 1346 (J.P.M.L. 2009). Since that time, 129 additional actions have been transferred to the Eastern District of Louisiana. With the consent of that court, all such actions have been assigned to the Honorable Eldon E. Fallon.

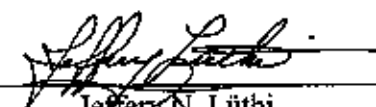
It appears that the action on this conditional transfer order involves questions of fact that are common to the actions previously transferred to the Eastern District of Louisiana and assigned to Judge Fallon.

Pursuant to Rule 7.4 of the Rules of Procedure of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, 199 F.R.D. 425, 435-36 (2001), this action is transferred under 28 U.S.C. § 1407 to the Eastern District of Louisiana for the reasons stated in the order of June 15, 2009, and, with the consent of that court, assigned to the Honorable Eldon E. Fallon.

This order does not become effective until it is filed in the Office of the Clerk of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana. The transmittal of this order to said Clerk shall be stayed 14 days from the entry thereof. If any party files a notice of opposition with the Clerk of the Panel within this 14-day period, the stay will be continued until further order of the Panel.

Inasmuch as no objection is pending at this time, the stay is lifted.
Mar 11, 2010
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FOR THE PANEL:


Jeffery N. Lüthi
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Re: MDL No. 2047 -- IN RE: Chinese-Manufactured Drywall Products Liability Litigation

(See Attached CTO-14)

Dear Ms. Whyte:


Attached as a PDF document is a certified copy of a conditional transfer order filed by the Panel in the above-captioned matter on February 24, 2010. As stipulated in Rule 7.4(a) of the Rules of Procedure of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, 199 F.R.D. 425, 435-36 (2001), transmittal of the order has been stayed 14 days to give any party an opportunity to oppose the transfer. The 14-day period has now elapsed, no opposition was received, and the order is directed to you for filing.

The Panel's governing statute, 28 U.S.C. § 1407, requires that the transferee clerk "...transmit a certified copy of the Panel's order to transfer to the clerk of the district court from which the action is being transferred."

A list of involved counsel is attached.

Very truly,

Jeffery N. Lüthi
Clerk of the Panel

By 
Jakeia Mellis
Deputy Clerk

Attachments (Conditional Transfer Order is a Separate Document)

cc: Transferee Judge: Judge Eldon E. Fallon

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