UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY (609) 989-0508

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TO:

All Counsel of Record

FROM:

Peter G. Sheridan, U.S.D.J.

DATE:

April 25, 2014

RE:

United Therapeutics Corporation v. Sandoz Inc.

Civil Action No. 12-1617 (PGS)(LHG)/13-316 (PGS)(LHG)

Letter Request, Dated April 23, 2014

Dear Counsel,

This correspondence is meant to address the letter request (ECF No. 253) submitted by Plaintiff's counsel dated April 23, 2014, and to clarify the proper procedure for submitting requests to the Court.

Please note that Local Civil Rule 7.1 provides the applicable guidelines for application and motion practice before this Court. Specifically, it provides that "[u]nless a Judge or Magistrate Judge advises the attorneys otherwise, all motions, regardless of their complexity and the relief sought, shall be presented and defended in the manner set forth in L. Civ. R. 7.1."

On the eve of trial, it is especially important that we do not depart from these procedural safeguards. Accordingly, Plaintiff's informal application will not be entertained by the Court at this time. Should Plaintiff wish to resubmit its request, the Court urges counsel to use the appropriate procedural mechanism as governed by the Local Civil Rules.

Thank you.

