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1	[Settlement of Lawsuit - Johnson & Johnson - City to Receive \$6 Million to \$11 Million Over 9 Years]
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3	Ordinance authorizing the partial settlement of the lawsuit filed on behalf of the City
4	and County of San Francisco and the People of the State of California against Johnson
5	& Johnson and its subsidiary, Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc., for abatement funds in
6	the range of \$6 million to \$11 million to be paid over 9 years; the lawsuit was filed on
7	December 18, 2018, in the United States District Court for the Northern District of
8	California, Case No. 3:18-cv-7591-CRB-JSC; entitled The City and County of San
9	Francisco and the People of the State of California v. Purdue Pharma L.P., Richard S.
10	Sackler, Jonathan D. Sackler, Mortimer D.A. Sackler, Kathe A. Sackler, Ilene Sackler
11	Lefcourt, Beverly Sackler, Theresa Sackler, David A. Sackler, Trust for the Benefit of
12	Members of the Raymond Sackler Family, Rhodes Pharmaceuticals L.P., Cephalon,
13	Inc., Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd., Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc., Endo
14	International Plc, Endo Health Solutions Inc., Endo Pharmaceuticals Inc., Janssen
15	Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Insys Therapeutics, Inc., Mallinckrodt Plc, Mallinckrodt LLC,
16	Allergan Plc F/K/A Actavis Plc, Watson Pharmaceuticals, Inc. N/K/A Actavis, Inc.,
17	Watson Laboratories, Inc., Actavis LLC, Actavis Pharma, Inc. F/K/A/ Watson Pharma,
18	Inc., AmerisourceBergen Corporation, Cardinal Health, Inc., and McKesson
19	Corporation; the lawsuit involves allegations that Johnson and Johnson's subsidiary,
20	Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc., created a public nuisance and violated the Unfair
21	Competition Law and the False Advertising Laws through deceptive marketing of
22	opioids, manufacturing and distributing increasingly large volumes of opioids in and
23	around San Francisco despite knowledge of the growing epidemic caused by opioid
24	misuse, and by failing to prevent and to report suspicious opioid orders as required by
25	state and federal law.

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Section 1. Pursuant to Charter Section 6.102(5), the Board of Supervisors hereby
authorizes the City Attorney to partially settle the action entitled The City and County of
San Francisco and the People of the State of California v. Purdue Pharma L.P. et al., Case
No. 3:18-cv-7591-CRB-JSC (U.S.D.C. N.D. Cal.), by the payment of abatement funds from
Johnson & Johnson and its subsidiary, Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc., to San Francisco, in
an amount estimated to be between \$6 million and \$11 million over the next 9 years. The
lawsuit involves allegations that Johnson and Johnson's subsidiary, Janssen
Pharmaceuticals, Inc., created a public nuisance and violated the Unfair Competition Law and
the False Advertising Laws through deceptive marketing of opioids, manufacturing and
distributing increasingly large volumes of opioids in and around San Francisco despite
knowledge of the growing epidemic caused by opioid misuse, and by failing to prevent and to
report suspicious opioid orders as required by state and federal law.

Section 2. The above-named action was filed in the United States District Court for the Northern District of California on December 18, 2018, and the following parties were named in the lawsuit: The City and County of San Francisco and the People of the State of California, as plaintiffs; Purdue Pharma L.P., Richard S. Sackler, Jonathan D. Sackler, Mortimer D.A. Sackler, Kathe A. Sackler, Ilene Sackler Lefcourt, Beverly Sackler, Theresa Sackler, David A. Sackler, Trust for the Benefit of Members of the Raymond Sackler Family, Rhodes Pharmaceuticals L.P., Cephalon, Inc., Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd., Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc., Endo International Plc, Endo Health Solutions Inc., Endo Pharmaceuticals Inc., Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Insys Therapeutics, Inc., Mallinckrodt Plc, Mallinckrodt LLC, Allergan Plc F/K/A Actavis Plc, Watson Pharmaceuticals, Inc. N/K/A Actavis, Inc., Watson Laboratories, Inc., Actavis LLC, Actavis Pharma, Inc. F/K/A/ Watson

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