

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

IN RE: CHINESE-MANUFACTURED  
DRYWALL PRODUCTS LIABILITY  
LITIGATION

MDL NO. 2047  
SECTION: L  
JUDGE FALLON  
MAG. JUDGE WILKINSON

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:  
ALL CASES AND

*Silva, et al. v. Interior Exterior Building  
Supply, LP, et al.*  
Case No. 09-08030 (E.D. La.)

*Silva, et al. v. Arch Insurance Company, et al.*  
Case No. 09-08034 (E.D. La.)

*Payton, et al. v. Knauf Gips, KG, et al.*  
Case No. 09-07628 (E.D. La.)

*Wiltz, et al. v. Beijing New Building Materials  
Public Limited Co., et al.*  
Case No. 2:10-cv-00361 (E.D. La.)

*Gross, et al. v. Knauf Gips, KG, et al.*  
Case No. 2:09-cv-6690 (E.D. La.)

*Rogers, et al. v. Knauf Gips, KG, et al.*  
Case No. 2:10-cv-00362 (E.D. La.)

*Amato, et al. v. Liberty Mutual Ins. Co.*  
Case No. 2:10-cv-00932 (E.D. La.)

*Kenneth Abel, et al. v. Taishan Gypsum Co.,  
Ltd., f/k/a Shandong Taihe Dongxin Co., Ltd.,  
et al.*  
Case No. 2:11-080 (E.D. La.)

*Daniel Abreu, et al. v. Gebrueder Knauf  
Verwaltungsgesellschaft, KG, et al.*  
Case No. 2:11-252 (E.D. La.)

ORDER ADJOURNING THE FORMAL FAIRNESS HEARING  
AND EXTENDING THE OPT-OUT/OBJECTION PERIOD

It is hereby **ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED** that:

The Court's Preliminary Approval Order dated May 13, 2011 [Rec. Doc. 8818], preliminarily approving the Settlement Agreement Regarding Claims Against Interior-Exterior in MDL 2047 dated April 25, 2011 (the "InEx Settlement"), is amended in order to adjourn the formal Fairness Hearing and extend the Opt-Out/Objection Period as follows:

1. The last day of the Opt-Out/Objection Period is extended from August 29, 2011 until December 18, 2011. Any class member wishing to opt out of or object to the Settlement must notify Plaintiffs' Lead Counsel, Arnold Levin (Levin, Fishbein, Sedran & Berman, 510 Walnut Street, Suite 500, Philadelphia, PA 19106) and Counsel for InEx, Richard Duplantier (Galloway, Johnson, Tompkins, Burr & Smith, One Shell Square, 701 Poydras Street, 40<sup>th</sup> Floor, New Orleans, LA 70139) in writing, postmarked no later than December 18, 2011, in compliance with the relevant provisions of the InEx Settlement.

2. Any class member who has already objected to or opted out from the Settlement prior to the date of this Order may withdraw or modify said objection or opt-out notice prior to the end of the Opt-Out/Objection Period (*i.e.*, prior to December 18, 2011) by notifying in writing Plaintiffs' Lead Counsel, Arnold Levin (Levin, Fishbein, Sedran & Berman, 510 Walnut Street, Suite 500, Philadelphia, PA 19106), and InEx counsel, Richard Duplantier (Galloway, Johnson, Tompkins, Burr & Smith, One Shell Square, 701 Poydras Street, 40<sup>th</sup> Floor, New Orleans, LA 70139), of their intention to withdraw or modify their objection or opt-out notice.

3. The formal Fairness Hearing is adjourned until February 3, 2012 at 9:00 a.m., in order to consider comments on and objections to the proposed InEx Settlement and to consider whether (a) to approve thereafter the class settlement as fair, reasonable and adequate pursuant to

Rule 23 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, (b) to finally certify the settlement class, and (c) to enter the Order and Judgment provided in paragraph 1.20. of the InEx Settlement.

4. Notice of this Order, the adjournment of the formal Fairness Hearing and the extension of the Opt-Out/Objection Period shall be posted on the Court's Chinese Drywall MDL website, the CPSC website, and the Department of Health websites for Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas.

This 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2011, at New Orleans, Louisiana

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Eldon E. Fallon", written over a horizontal line.

ELDON E. FALLON

United States District Court Judge