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RE: Final Deadline for fixing deficiencies in your Proof of Manufacture

Dear Claimant/Attorney of Record:

You previously submitted a Proof of Manufacturer form and/or supporting documents, and you received a letter from the Settlement Facility explaining that it was deficient. This means that your proof that you have or had a Dow Corning breast implant is **not acceptable**. This also means that unless you are able to fix the deficiency in your proof by submitting new or additional information, you are not eligible for any payment.

The deadline for you to fix your deficient Proof of Manufacturer: **June 3, 2019**. You must submit **new** documents to fix the deficiency in your Proof of Manufacturer claim on or before **June 3, 2019**. Do not re-submit the same documents to us for review as this will slow down the process and will not change the result.

If the new documents you submit establish acceptable proof of your Dow Corning implant, **then** we will proceed to review your Disease or Expedited Release claim form and supporting documents, if you have submitted them, and notify you about the results. If you have not yet submitted a claim for Disease or Expedited Release with supporting documents, you must do so on or before June 3, 2019. No late claims will be accepted. Do **not** wait to submit a claim for Disease or Expedited Release with supporting documents until you establish acceptable proof of your Dow Corning implant or you may miss the June 3, 2019 deadline and your claim will be permanently denied.

If you do not submit new documents for your Proof of having a Dow Corning implant, or if you submit more documents that are not acceptable, then your claim for Proof of Manufacturer will be permanently denied. You will not be eligible for any payment. No late claim requests or submissions will be allowed. No exceptions.

If you have questions about what your Proof of Manufacturer deficiency is or how to fix the problem, you may do any or all of the following:

- Review your original Notification of Status letter that described the Proof of Manufacturer deficiency.
- Review the Proof of Manufacturer criteria. There is a list of acceptable medical records in the Instructions to the Proof of Manufacturer Form and in the Claimant

- Information Guide at Sections 5 and Tab 1. The form and Claimant Information Guide is available online at www.sfdct.com.
- Call the Settlement Facility at 866-874-6099 or send us an email at <u>info@sfdct.com</u>.
 Please include your SID number. A representative will review the claim submission and explain what is deficient about the claim. We cannot provide legal assistance or advice.
- Consider seeking legal assistance to help you find acceptable proof that you have or had a Dow Corning breast implant. A list of attorneys who are willing to accept new claims is available on the Claimants' Advisory Committee's website at www.tortcomm.org.
- Subscribe to the Claimants' Advisory Committee e-newsletter at <u>www.tortcomm.org</u>.
 Their newsletter often includes helpful tips on how to locate medical records or obtain Proof of Manufacturer.
- APPEAL RIGHT: If you believe your Proof of Manufacturer documents meets the Plan criteria and should have been accepted, you can submit an appeal to the Claims Administrator. You must do this by June 3, 2019. If you do not submit an appeal on or before June 3, 2019, then you will not be allowed to do so after this date, and your claim will be permanently denied and closed.

Again, you must fix the problem in your claim on or before June 3, 2019 or your claim will be permanently denied.

Sincerely,

Settlement Facility-Dow Corning Trust