UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

In re: Baycol Products Litigation

MDL No. 1431

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On behalf of Plaintiffs, the PSC filed a Motion for an Order to Show Cause which

would direct the Government to respond to Plaintiffs' Motion to Declare the Non-

Existence of any Medicare Lien. The Government responded to the Order to Show Cause

by asserting that this Court does not have subject matter or personal jurisdiction over it.

The Court hereby directs the Government to file a brief addressing jurisdictional issues

by November 14, 2003. Plaintiffs shall file a responsive brief by January 2, 2004.

Date: October 9, 2003

Michael J. Davis **United States District Court**