

RESOLUTION NO. 25-R-26

A RESOLUTION OF THE IOWA TRIBE OF KANSAS AND NEBRASKA (“TRIBE”) TO ELECT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE TEN SETTLEMENTS WITH NINE GENERIC MANUFACTURER DEFENDANTS: ALVOGEN, AMNEAL, APOTEX, HIKMA, INDIVIOR, MYLAN, SANDOZ, SUN, AND ZYDUS; AND A GLOBAL SETTLEMENT WITH THE PHARMACY DEFENDANT, KROGER, AND AUTHORIZE THE TRIBE’S OPIOID LITIGATION COUNSEL TO SUBMIT THE TRIBAL PARTICIPATION FORMS ON THE TRIBE’S BEHALF.

WHEREAS, the Native American population has suffered some of the worst consequences of the opioid epidemic of any population in the United States. Tribal governments have had to spend considerable tribal funds to cover the costs of the opioid crisis, including increased costs for health care, social services, child welfare, law enforcement and other government services; and,

WHEREAS, over 400 federally recognized tribes filed litigation against the opioid manufacturers, distributors, pharmacies, all of which these tribal plaintiffs maintain are responsible for the opioid crisis; and,

WHEREAS, the court-appointed Tribal Leadership Committee (“TLC”) has reached ten additional settlements (“Settlements”) to resolve opioid cases brought by federally recognized Tribes against nine Generic Manufacturer Defendants: Alvogen, Amneal, Apotex, Hikma, Indivior, Mylan, Sandoz, Sun, and Zydus; and Pharmacy Defendant, Kroger. The total nominal value for these ten (10) settlements is \$70,738,204; and,

WHEREAS, the Settlements only go into effect if certain participation thresholds are reached; and,

WHEREAS, under the terms of the Settlements, each tribal entity has the right to determine which approved opioid abatement uses are best for the tribal entity; and

WHEREAS, the Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska is aware of and has reviewed the terms of each of the signed settlement agreements, along with accompanying exhibits available on the website www.tribalopioidsettlements.com and elects to participate in the Settlements; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE IOWA TRIBE OF KANSAS AND NEBRASKA TRIBAL COUNCIL that the Iowa Tribe, in order to obtain and in consideration for the benefits provided to the Tribe pursuant to the Settlement Agreements, and acting through the authorized law firm, SKIKOS CRAWFORD SKIKOS & JOSEPH, LLP, hereby elects to participate in the Settlements and become a Participating Tribe as defined therein, and release all Released Claims against all Released Entities as defined therein;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that SKIKOS CRAWFORD SKIKOS & JOSEPH, LLP is authorized to submit the Tribal Participation Forms attached to this Resolution on behalf of the Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska.

This Resolution was introduced, seconded and adopted at a duly convened meeting of the Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska Tribal Council held on September 10, 2025.

Tribal Council Chair

ATTEST:

Tribal Secretary