

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION**

IN RE: NATIONAL PRESCRIPTION OPIATE LITIGATION)	CASE NO. 1:17-MD-2804
)	SPECIAL MASTER COHEN
THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:)	
“PBM Bellwether Cases”)	
)	<u>RULING REGARDING</u>
)	<u>THIRD-PARTY DISCOVERY FROM</u>
)	<u>NYSUCS</u>

The Court has selected two cases for bellwether trials against the PBM defendants: *City of Rochester v. Purdue Pharma, L.P.*, No. 19-op-45853; and *City of Ogdensburg v. Purdue Pharma, L.P.*, No. 19-op-45852. In connection with Discovery Agenda Item Number 458, the PBMs seek to compel production of certain information from the New York State Unified Court System (“NYSUCS”). The Special Master received written position statements from counsel for the PBMs and from the Assistant Deputy Counsel in the Office of Court Administration of New York. The Special Master also met with counsel via teleconference, during which time the undersigned resolved the parties’ disputes, some of which was obtained by agreement.

This Ruling documents a part of that dispute resolution. NYSUCS shall produce materials as follows:

- recent UCMS data on or before January 9, 2026;
- older UCMS data on or before January 20, 2026; and

- remaining records responsive to the other parts of the PBMs' subpoena on or before January 23, 2026.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

/s/ David R. Cohen

David R. Cohen

Special Master

Dated: December 29, 2025