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WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA  
LAFAYETTE DIVISION

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WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA  
LAFAYETTE, LOUISIANA

IN RE: ACTOS (PIOGLITAZONE)  
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL No. 6:11-md-2299

JUDGE DOHERTY

This Document Applies To:  
*Allen, et. al. v. Takeda Pharmaceuticals  
North America, Inc., et al.*  
(Case No. 12-cv-00064)

MAGISTRATE JUDGE HANNA

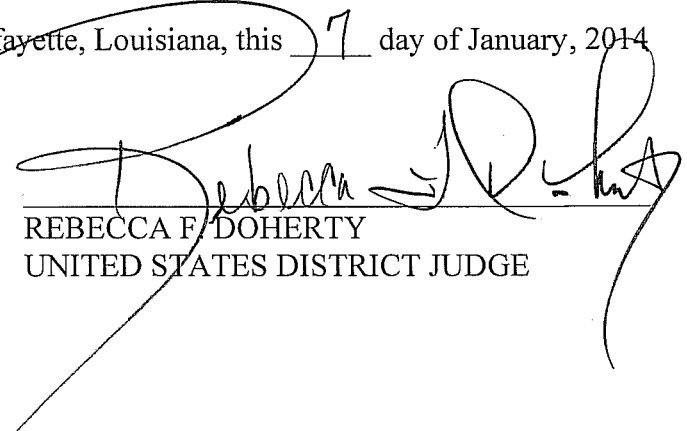
ORDER

For the reasons stated in the Memorandum Ruling dated January 7, 2014,

IT IS ORDERED that the "Motion for Partial Summary Judgment" [Rec. Doc. 3411] filed by Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Limited, Takeda Pharmaceuticals U.S.A., Inc., Takeda Pharmaceuticals International, Inc., Takeda Pharmaceuticals LLC, Takeda Development Center Americas, Inc., and Takeda California, Inc. is DENIED for failure of the moving defendants to satisfy their burden to show they are entitled to the preemption defense under the facts and circumstances of this case.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the "Motion to Strike and Objections to Statement of Material Facts by Plaintiffs in Opposition to Defendants' Motion for Summary Judgment on Preemption" [Rec. Doc. 3576] is DENIED as irrelevant to the legal inquiry at hand.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED in Lafayette, Louisiana, this 7 day of January, 2014

  
REBECCA F. DOHERTY  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE