IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS AMARILLO DIVISION

SUSAN NEESE, M.D., et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

XAVIER BECERRA, et al.,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 2:21-cv-163-Z

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Please take notice that Defendants hereby appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit from the Court's November 22, 2022 Final Judgment, ECF No. 71, the Court's November 11, 2022 Opinion and Order, ECF No. 66, the Court's April 26, 2022 Opinion and Order, ECF No. 30, and all prior orders and decisions that merge into those orders and judgment.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

On January 20, 2023, I electronically submitted the foregoing document with the clerk of court for the U.S. District Court, Northern District of Texas, using the electronic case filing system of the court. I hereby certify that I have served all parties electronically or by another manner authorized by Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 5(b)(2).

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