

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN**

TEAM SCHIERL COMPANIES and
HEARTLAND FARMS, INC., on behalf of
themselves and all others similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ASPIRUS, INC. and ASPIRUS NETWORK,
INC.,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 3:22-cv-00580-jdp

Hon. James D. Peterson, U.S.D.J.

Hon. Anita M. Boor, U.S.M.J.

**DECLARATION OF ZACHARY M. JOHNS IN SUPPORT OF REPLY
IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO EXCLUDE OPINIONS AND
TESTIMONY OF PLAINTIFFS' CLASS CERTIFICATION AND
DAMAGES EXPERT DR. JEFFREY J. LEITZINGER**

I, Zachary M. Johns, declare as follows:

1. I am a member in good standing of the bar of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and am admitted *pro hac vice* in the above-captioned action.

2. I am a Partner with the law firm of Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP, counsel for Defendants Aspirus, Inc. ("Aspirus") and Aspirus Network, ("ANI") in the above-captioned action.

3. I submit this declaration in support of Defendants' Reply in support of Defendants' Motion to Exclude Opinions and Testimony of Plaintiffs' Class Certification and Damages Expert Dr. Jeffrey J. Leitzinger. I have knowledge of the following facts and if called upon would and could competently testify thereto.

4. Attached hereto as **Exhibit A** is a true and correct copy of an excerpt of James H. Stock and Mark W. Watson, INTRODUCTION TO ECONOMETRICS (3d ed. 2015).

5. Attached hereto as **Exhibit B** is a true and correct copy of Roy J. Epstein, An Econometrics Primer for Lawyers, Antitrust (Summer 2011).

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. Executed on August 13, 2025, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Dated: August 13, 2025

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Zachary M. Johns

Zachary M. Johns (*pro hac vice*)

Attorney for Defendants

Aspirus, Inc. and Aspirus Network, Inc.