Stryker Orthopaedics Settlement Program Reaches Milestone - - 95% of Registered Eligible U.S. Patients Enrolled in Program

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Kalamazoo, Michigan - June 12, 2015 - Howmedica Osteonics Corp. (referred to as "Stryker Orthopaedics"), a subsidiary of Stryker Corporation (NYSE:SYK), has informed the courts in the New Jersey Multicounty and Federal Multidistrict litigations that 95% of registered eligible patients have enrolled in the Settlement Program under the Master Settlement Agreement announced in November 2014. As a result, Stryker Orthopaedics will move forward with the Settlement Program.

The Master Settlement Agreement was established to compensate eligible U.S. patients who had surgery to replace their Rejuvenate Modular-Neck hip stem and/or ABG II Modular-Neck hip stem, known as a revision surgery. Shortly, the Claims Processor will begin notifying claimants and their attorneys regarding compensation payments, the exact timing and amount of payments will depend on factors and circumstances specific to each claim. It is expected that payments will begin this July and the majority of payments will be made by the fall of 2015.

For more information about the Settlement Program, please visit: www.strykermodularhipsettlement.com.

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