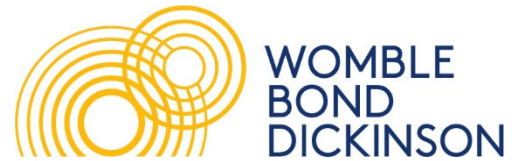


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RE: NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT AND REQUEST TO DISMISS APPEAL

Thorne HealthTech, Inc. and Thorne Research, Inc. v. Stephen H. Ross  
Appellate Case No. 2024-002067

Dear Ms. Kitchings,

Along with Kevin Hall, I represent the Appellants in the above-captioned matter. We write to advise that the parties have reached a settlement and respectfully request that the appeal be dismissed with each party to bear its own costs.

We appreciate your assistance. Please feel free to contact me directly with any questions or if there is any additional information I can provide.

Respectfully yours,

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