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**IN THE MATTER OF THE
DECLARATORY JUDGMENT
ACTIONS FILED IN THE COUNTY OF
SOMERSET, STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
PURSUANT TO In Re Adoption of
N.J.A.C. 5:96, 221 N.J. 1 (2015)**

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ACTIONS FILED IN THE COUNTY OF
WARREN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
PURSUANT TO In Re Adoption of
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**SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
LAW DIVISION****DOCKET No.: SOM-L-000903-15****DOCKET No.: HNT-L-301-15****DOCKET No.: WRN-L-228-15**CIVIL ACTION – *MOUNT LAUREL***ORDER EXTENDING IMMUNITY**

THIS MATTER having been opened to the Court by Jeffrey R. Surenian and Associates, LLC, Jeffrey R. Surenian, Esq. and Michael J. Edwards, Esq. appearing on behalf of the *participating* municipalities that are members of the Vicinage 13 Municipal Group (hereinafter “declaratory plaintiffs”), who seek an extension of immunity from Mount Laurel lawsuits and that are identified on **Exhibit A** attached hereto; and the Court having determined that it is appropriate to extend immunity to the declaratory relief plaintiffs: and the Court being satisfied that no declaratory plaintiff is “determined to be constitutionally noncompliant” and

should therefore be divested of immunity; and the Court having considered the pleadings and related papers previously filed in this matter; and good cause appearing.

IT IS on this 7th day of December, 2018, **ORDERED** as follows:

1. The Court hereby finds that no declaratory plaintiff in the above referenced matter is “determined to be constitutionally noncompliant”.
2. The Court hereby extends immunity for all declaratory plaintiffs through **March 31, 2019**.
3. Counsel for the declaratory plaintiff shall provide all parties on the Service/Notice List with a copy of this Order within seven (7) days of receipt.

/S/ THOMAS C. MILLER, P.J.Cv.

THOMAS C. MILLER, P.J.CV

Exhibit A

Updated as of November 20, 2018

Member Municipalities

SOMERSET COUNTY

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| 1. Township of Bernards | SOM-L-899-15 – (JPB) (settled) |
| 2. Township of Branchburg | SOM-L-898-15 - (MA) |
| 3. Borough of Far Hills | SOM-L-903-15 – (JS) (settled) |
| 4. Township of Hillsborough | SOM-L-900-15 – (EB) |
| 5. Township of Montgomery | SOM-L-924-15 – (KH) (settled) |
| 6. Borough of Raritan | SOM-L-926-15 – (KC) (settled) |
| 7. Township of Warren | SOM-L-904-15 – (JL) (settled) |
| 8. Borough of Watchung | SOM-L-902-15 – (AC) (settled) |

Warren Fairness Hearing – December 4, 2018

Far Hills Fairness Hearing – December 20, 2018

HUNTERDON COUNTY

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| 9. Town of Clinton | HNT-L-304-15 – (TS) (settled) |
| 10. Borough of Lebanon | HNT-L-321-15 – (JN) |
| 11. Township of Raritan | HNT-L-312-15 – (JPB) |
| 12. Township of Readington | HNT-L-301-15 – (JS) |
| 13. Township of West Amwell | HNT-L-307-15 – (TS) |

Town of Clinton Fairness Hearing – December 20, 2018

WARREN COUNTY

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| 14. Township of Harmony | WRN-L-239-15 – (KC) (settled) |
| 15. Township of Mansfield | WRN-L-242-15 – (KC) |
| 16. Township of Washington | WRN-L-244-15 – (KC) |
| 17. Borough of Washington | WRN-L-230-15 – (TS) (settled) |

Borough of Washington Fairness Hearing – December 4, 2018

Township of Harmony Fairness Hearing - December 20, 2018

ACTIVE ATTORNEYS

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| 3. (JS) - Jeff Surenian | 7. (JN) -- Joseph Novak |
| 4. (EB) - Eric Bernstein | 8. (JL) -- Jeffrey Lehrer |