

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION

MARK COLWELL, Individually and on
Behalf of All Others Similarly Situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

EXICURE, INC., DAVID A. GILJOHANN,
BRIAN C. BOCK, and GRANT T. CORBETT,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:21-CV-06637

Honorable John F. Kness

**LEAD PLAINTIFF’S NOTICE OF UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR
PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF PROPOSED CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT**

Lead Plaintiff James Mathew (“Lead Plaintiff”), on behalf of himself and all Settlement Class Members, respectfully moves this Court unopposed for an Order, pursuant to Rule 23(e) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure: (a) granting preliminary approval of the proposed Settlement; (b) preliminarily certifying the Settlement Class for settlement purposes; (c) approving the proposed form of Notice; (d) approving the proposed methods of disseminating Notice; (e) setting a date for the Final Approval Hearing; and (f) for such other and further relief as this Court deems just and proper.¹

In support of this Motion, Lead Plaintiff is contemporaneously filing a memorandum of law, the Stipulation of Settlement with accompanying exhibits annexed thereto, and the Declaration of Morgan Kimball.

¹ Capitalized terms not defined herein have the meanings stated in the Stipulation of Settlement, dated September 6, 2024 (the “Stipulation”), filed herewith. Emphasis is added, and citations omitted, unless otherwise noted.

Accordingly, Lead Plaintiff requests that the Court enter the proposed Order Preliminarily Approving Settlement and Providing for Class Notice (the “Notice Order”), a copy of which is being submitted to the Proposed Orders inbox in accordance with the Court’s case procedures.

Dated: September 6, 2024

By: /s/ Joseph A. Fonti

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