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Dr. Lamb was retained as the expert economist for Direct Purchaser Class Plaintiffs (“DPPs”). Dr. Lamb’s work on the Namenda matter included the submission of two separate expert reports (relating to the merits and class-wide impact and damages) and testified at deposition. The Court noted in this matter: “Dr. Lamb’s expert opinion fits the facts of the case, is relevant, and is therefore admissible to show classwide injury and measurable damages in support of Plaintiffs’ Motion for Class Certification. [...] The Court [...] has thoroughly considered Dr. Lamb’s opinion in its decision on the DPPs’ Class Certification Motion.”

Dr. Lamb’s support team was led by Mr. Jackman and Mrs. Sexton. According to the AAI, “MEG’s efforts were key to securing the largest private settlement in Hatch-Waxman Act antitrust litigation history with a single defendant — \$750 million. The historic settlement will help deter similar anticompetitive conduct and the legal victories will aid future plaintiffs. The In re Namenda Direct Purchaser Antitrust Litigation opinion granting class certification and denying the Daubert and summary judgment motions crystalize the plaintiffs’ evidentiary burdens to prove injury and damages in Actavis and product hopping cases”.

Dr. Lamb, Mr. Jackman, and Mrs. Sexton and the other 2020 Antitrust Enforcement Award honorees will be recognized at an awards dinner this evening, following the AAI’s Annual Private Antitrust Enforcement Conference.