UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

IN RE: ROUNDUP PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITGATION

MDL No. 2741

Case No. 16-md-02741-VC

This document relates to:

Hardeman v. Monsanto, 3:16-cv-00525-VC

PRETRIAL ORDER NO. 112: ORDER RE DESIGN DEFECT JURY

INSTRUCTION

The Court does not understand how Monsanto intends to present a defense to Mr.

Hardeman's design defect claim under its proposed risk-benefit theory, and it is therefore difficult to anticipate how the risk-benefit test would operate at trial. Accordingly, by 10:00 a.m. on March 14, 2019, Monsanto is directed to file a 2-page brief summarizing what it would argue to the jury were the risk-benefit test to apply.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date: March 13, 2019

Honorable Vince Chhabria **United States District Court**