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5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
6 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
7 AT TACOMA

8 BRIAN COURTER, et al.,

9 Plaintiff,

v.

10 CYTODYN, INC. ,

11 Defendant.

CASE NO. C21-5190 BHS

ORDER PRELIMINARILY
APPROVING SETTLEMENT AND
PROVIDING FOR NOTICE

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13 THIS MATTER is before the Court on the lead plaintiff's motion for preliminary
14 approval of proposed settlement, Dkt. 167.

15 On June 2, 2026, the Court held a hearing on the settlement terms, and requested
16 additional information for *in camera* review. It has received and reviewed that
17 information.

18 The Court preliminarily **APPROVES** the Settlement, and is entering the
19 plaintiff's proposed Order, which is a portion of Dkt. 168. Consistent with Federal Rule
20 of Civil Procedure 23(e)(1)(B)(i), the Court finds that it will likely be able to finally
21 approve the Settlement as being fair, reasonable, and adequate to the Settlement Class,
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1 subject to further consideration at the Settlement Hearing. That hearing is scheduled for
2 **November 2, 2026, at 1:30 p.m.** See Dkt. 168 at 42.

3 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

4 Dated this 18th day of June, 2026.

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BENJAMIN H. SETTLE
United States District Judge

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