

Johnson & Johnson Statement on Sugarman Mistrial

March 5, 2024 – Attributable to Erik Haas, Worldwide Vice President of Litigation, Johnson & Johnson:

Yet another jury has refused to issue a verdict that adopts the baseless claims of the mass tort plaintiffs' bar. The Company has prevailed in 15 out of 16 of these types of talc cases tried to date, and for good reason. Johnson's Baby Powder is safe, does not contain asbestos and does not cause cancer.

This case was tried by the Beasley Allen law firm, which has lost every talc claim it has tried, yet continues to use its leadership position in this litigation to thwart a consensual resolution that lawyers representing the majority of the claims acknowledge is in claimants' best interests. Beasley Allen and its allies should stop using cancer patients as fodder in their quest for jackpot verdicts by persuading them to forego their search for the true cause of their cancer while concealing that nearly all claimants receive nothing in the tort system.

To learn more about our position and the science supporting the safety of our product, visit www.FactsAboutTalc.com