



Bioventus Securities Litigation

ELECTRONIC CLAIM FILING GUIDELINES



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Overview

Electronic Claim Filing applies to institutions or entities that are filing multiple Proofs of Claim and Release on behalf of themselves and/or others, as well as individuals or entities that are filing Proofs of Claim and Release with a large number of transactions (50+).

Electronic Claim Filings are subject to rejection if not prepared in compliance with these Electronic Claim Filing Guidelines.

PLEASE NOTE: No Electronic Claim Filing will be considered to have been properly submitted unless the Claims Administrator issues to the filer a written acknowledgment of receipt and acceptance of electronically submitted data.

Electronic Filing Requirements

Complete and Sign a Proof of Claim and Release:

- One executed Proof of Claim and Release should be completed per submission. This Proof of Claim and Release serves as a master Proof of Claim and Release for one or all of the accounts included on your file. The Proof of Claim and Release is attached hereto as Appendix B.
- Separate Claims should be submitted for each separate legal entity (*e.g.*, a claim from joint owners should not include separate transactions of just one of the joint owners, and an individual should not combine his or her IRA transactions with transactions made solely in the individual's name). Conversely, a single Claim should be submitted on behalf of one legal entity including all transactions made by that entity, no matter how many separate accounts that entity has (*e.g.*, a corporation with multiple brokerage accounts should include all transactions made in all accounts on one Claim).
- Complete the first page of the Proof of Claim and Release. Be sure to include company name, account name/number, and company address. If submitting an electronic file on behalf of several accounts, enter "Various Accounts" for the account name/number.
- Complete the signature page on the Proof of Claim and Release. If you are filing on behalf of your clients, you must include a letter or document providing your authorization to sign on behalf of your clients, as set forth in Appendix C.
- A valid email address must be on file with the Claims Administrator. Communication regarding deficiencies and rejections on electronically filed claims may be conducted by email. A valid email address **MUST** be included on the Proof of Claim and Release, and the email address provided **MUST** be updated in the event the contact person or email address changes; it is the sole responsibility of the filing party to maintain up-to-date, complete contact information with the Claims Administrator.

Prepare a cover letter:

- A cover letter **MUST** be included with the master Proof of Claim and Release. The cover letter must include the total number of accounts; total number of transactions; total number of shares purchased, acquired, and sold; and contact name(s) with phone number(s) and email address(es). Please see the sample cover letter as set forth in Appendix D.



Prepare a data file:

- An Excel spreadsheet or other electronic file containing account information and transactional data MUST be prepared in accordance with A.B. Data, Ltd.'s Electronic Claim Filing Template Mapping Instructions found in Appendix E. The following formats are acceptable: a) MEDIA: CD, DVD, and FLASH DRIVE and b) DATA: ASCII, MS EXCEL, and MS ACCESS. For your convenience, an Excel spreadsheet template is available for your use and may be downloaded from www.BioventusSecuritiesLitigation.com.
- If you cannot provide the information in the aforementioned formats or you have other requests, questions, concerns, or comments, please email A.B. Data, Ltd., at efiling@abdata.com or you may call 877-933-2890 to speak to an Electronic Claims Filing Specialist.

Mail your executed master Proof of Claim and Release with a cover letter and media format to:

BIOVENTUS SECURITIES LITIGATION
ATTN: ELECTRONIC CLAIMS DEPARTMENT
C/O A.B. DATA, LTD.
PO BOX 173114
MILWAUKEE, WI 53217

Or:

BIOVENTUS SECURITIES LITIGATION
ATTN: ELECTRONIC CLAIMS DEPARTMENT
C/O A.B. DATA, LTD.
3410 WEST HOPKINS STREET
MILWAUKEE, WI 53216

Documentation Requirements

A.B. Data, Ltd., reserves the right to request additional documentation at any time after your Proof of Claim and Release and file have been received and processed. The documentation provided should be sufficient to verify the validity and accuracy of the data provided in the file.

If you provided a letter/affidavit attesting to the truth and accuracy of your data when initially submitting your file, A.B. Data may still require specific documentary evidence (trade confirmations, monthly statement, or equivalent) to verify the details of your transactions and/or holdings.

How to account for Free Receipts, Free Deliveries, and Transfers

Free receipt, free delivery, and transfer transactions are not eligible for payment unless you have additional information regarding the original purchase, acquisition, or subsequent sale. If you do not have this information, free receipt, free delivery, and transfer transactions should only be included on your electronic file for balancing purposes. You MUST use the following instructions when filing for accounts that have free receipt, free delivery, and transfer transactions during the Class Period:

If shares were transferred to or from a different custodian (corresponding account is not on your electronic file), you must follow these instructions:

- SHARES RECEIVED INTO ACCOUNT: You must account for any received shares by providing the opening position or original purchase or acquisition of these shares from the prior account.
- SHARES DELIVERED OUT OF ACCOUNT: You must account for any delivered shares by providing the sale and/or closing position from the subsequent account.



- **NO INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON ORIGINAL PURCHASE/ACQUISITION or SUBSEQUENT SALE:** You must provide the free receipt and/or free delivery shares in order to balance your claim. A “transfer in” should be reflected as transaction type “FR,” and a “transfer out” should be reflected as transaction type “FD” (prices and net amounts should be zero).

If shares were transferred between accounts on your file, you must follow these instructions:

- **DO NOT** claim the same purchase or acquisition transaction(s) on both accounts.
- The account that owned the shares most recently should be the account claiming the eligible purchase or acquisition. These shares should already be accounted for in the sales and/or closing position of the most recent account.
- If shares were transferred between accounts for the same beneficial owner on your file, you must combine these accounts and file all eligible purchases, acquisitions, and sales in a single claim. You must also include all opening and closing positions on the claim for that entity.
- If you are unable to combine these accounts accordingly, you must provide the free receipt and free delivery shares in order to balance your claim. A “transfer in” should be reflected as transaction type “FR,” and a “transfer out” should be reflected as transaction type “FD” (prices and net amounts should be zero).

Claim Balancing

All securities for each Claim must balance. This means the opening position plus all purchases / acquisitions (including free receipts) from February 11, 2021 through and including February 19, 2023, **MUST EQUAL** the total sales (including free deliveries) from February 11, 2021 through and including February 19, 2023, plus the closing position. **(O+P+FR=S+FD+C)***.

*The holding position (Transaction Type: H) for September 3, 2024 will not factor in the balancing equation.

Negative values may only be given for short opening or closing positions. All other transactions must be positive values.



Appendix A

Case Specific Information

CLASS DEFINITION:	All persons and entities who purchased or otherwise acquired Bioventus Class A common stock between February 11, 2021, and November 21, 2022, both inclusive.
CLAIM FILING DEADLINE:	December 2, 2024

The following is a list of eligible Securities:

SECURITY	TICKER	CUSIP	ISIN
Bioventus Inc. Common Stock	BVS	09075A108	US09075A1088



Common Stock transactions for each account should include:

Transaction Type	Definition	Valid Dates
O	Total shares owned at opening of trading at beginning of Class Period.	February 11, 2021
P	Purchases/acquisitions during the Class Period.	February 11, 2021 through February 19, 2023
FR	Transfer into account during the Class Period.	February 11, 2021 through February 19, 2023
S	Sales during the Class Period.	February 11, 2021 through February 19, 2023
FD	Transfer out of account during the Class Period.	February 11, 2021 through February 19, 2023
C	Total shares owned at close of trading at end of Class Period.	February 19, 2023
H	Total shares owned as of the close of trading on September 3, 2024	September 3, 2024

*****Please see Appendix E for mapping instructions detailing how to properly submit your file. Files submitted that do not follow the mapping instructions are subject to rejection.**



Appendix B



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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA**

ROBERT CIARCIELLO Individually and on
Behalf of All Others Similarly Situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

BIOVENTUS INC., KENNETH M. REALI,
MARK L. SINGLETON, GREGORY O.
ANGLUM, and SUSAN M. STALNECKER,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:23-cv-00032-CCE-JEP

PROOF OF CLAIM AND RELEASE

I. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. To recover as a member of the Settlement Class based on your claims in the class action entitled *Ciarciello v. Bioventus, Inc., et al.*, Case No. 1:23-cv-00032-CCE-JEP (M.D.N.C.) (the “Litigation”), you must complete and sign this Proof of Claim and Release form (the “Proof of Claim”).¹ If you fail to submit a timely and properly addressed (as explained in paragraph 2 below) Proof of Claim, your claim may be rejected and you may not receive any recovery from the Net Settlement Fund created in connection with the proposed Settlement. Submission of this Proof of Claim, however, does not assure that you will share in the proceeds of the Settlement of the Action.

2. THIS PROOF OF CLAIM, ACCOMPANIED BY COPIES OF THE DOCUMENTS REQUESTED HEREIN, **MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE AT: WWW.BIOVENTUSSECURITIESLITIGATION.COM NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 2, 2024 OR, IF MAILED, BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 2, 2024, ADDRESSED AS FOLLOWS:**

Bioventus Securities Litigation
Claims Administrator
c/o A.B. Data, Ltd.
P.O. Box 173114
Milwaukee, WI 53217

¹ The terms of the Settlement are in the Stipulation and Agreement of Settlement, dated July 12, 2024 (the “Stipulation”), which can be viewed at www.BioventusSecuritiesLitigation.com. All capitalized terms not defined in this Claim Form have the same meanings as in the Stipulation.

Do not mail or deliver your Claim Form to the Court, the settling parties, or their counsel. Submit your Claim Form only to the Claims Administrator at the address set forth above. If you are NOT a Member of the Settlement Class, as defined in the Long-Form Notice of Pendency and Proposed Settlement of Class Action (“Long-Form Notice”), or if you have submitted a request for exclusion, DO NOT submit a Proof of Claim.

3. If you are a member of the Settlement Class and you do not timely request exclusion by October 18, 2024, you are bound by and subject to the terms of any judgment entered in the Action, including the releases provided therein, WHETHER OR NOT YOU SUBMIT A PROOF OF CLAIM OR RECEIVE A PAYMENT.

4. Submission of this Claim Form does not guarantee that you will share in the proceeds of the Settlement. The distribution of the Net Settlement Fund will be governed by the Plan of Allocation set forth in the Settlement Notice, if it is approved by the Court, or by such other plan of allocation approved by the Court.

5. You are eligible to participate in the distribution of the Net Settlement Fund only if you are a member of the Settlement Class and if you complete and return this form as specified below. If you fail to timely submit a properly completed Proof of Claim, your claim may be rejected and may be precluded from receiving any distribution.

6. It is important that you completely read and understand the Long-Form Notice that accompanies this Proof of Claim, including the Plan of Allocation of the Net Settlement Fund set forth in the Long-Form Notice. The Long-Form Notice describes the proposed Settlement, how Settlement Class Members are affected by the Settlement, and the manner in which the Net Settlement Fund will be distributed if the Settlement and Plan of Allocation are approved by the Court. The Long-Form Notice also contains the definitions of many of the capitalized terms used in this Proof of Claim. By signing and submitting this Proof of Claim, you will be certifying that you have read the Long-Form Notice, including the terms of the releases described in it and provided for by the Settlement.

II. CLAIMANT IDENTIFICATION

1. If you purchased or acquired Bioventus Class A common stock and held the certificate(s) in your name, you are the beneficial owner as well as the record holder. If, however, the certificate(s) were registered in the name of a third party, such as a brokerage firm or other nominee, you are the beneficial owner and the third party is the record holder.

2. Use **Part I** of this form entitled “Claimant Identification” to identify each beneficial owner of Bioventus Class A common stock that forms the basis of this claim, as well as the owner of record if different. **THIS CLAIM MUST BE FILED BY THE ACTUAL BENEFICIAL OWNERS OR THE LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE OF SUCH OWNERS.**

3. All joint owners must sign this claim. Executors, administrators, guardians, conservators, legal representatives, and trustees must complete and sign this claim on behalf of persons represented by them and their authority must accompany this claim and their titles or capacities must be stated. The Social Security (or taxpayer identification) number and telephone number of the beneficial owner may be used in verifying the claim. Failure to provide the foregoing information could delay verification of your claim or result in rejection of the claim.

4. A claim should be submitted for each separate legal entity (*e.g.*, a Proof of Claim of joint owners should not include separate transactions of just one of the joint owners, and an individual should not combine his or her IRA transactions with transactions made solely in the individual's name). Conversely, a single Proof of Claim should be submitted on behalf of one legal entity including all transactions made by that entity on one Proof of Claim, no matter how many separate accounts that entity has (*e.g.*, a corporation with multiple brokerage accounts should include all transactions made in all accounts on one Proof of Claim).

III. IDENTIFICATION OF TRANSACTIONS

1. Use **Part II** of this form entitled "Schedule of Transactions in Bioventus Class A Common Stock" to supply all required details of your transaction(s) in Bioventus Class A common stock. If you need more space or additional schedules, attach separate sheets giving all of the required information in substantially the same form. Sign and print or type your name on each additional sheet.

2. On the schedules, provide all of the requested information with respect to your holdings, purchases, and sales of Bioventus Class A common stock. Failure to report all such transactions may result in the rejection of your claim.

3. List each transaction separately and in chronological order, by trade date, beginning with the earliest. You must accurately provide the month, day, and year of each transaction you list.

4. The date of covering a "short sale" is deemed to be the date of purchase of Bioventus Class A common stock publicly traded common stock. The date of a "short sale" is deemed to be the date of sale of Bioventus Class A common stock. A purchase or sale of Bioventus Class A common stock shall be deemed to have occurred on the "contract" or "trade" date as opposed to the "settlement" or "payment" date; please provide any "contract" or "trade" dates in your claim.

5. For each transaction, you must provide, together with this Proof of Claim, copies of broker confirmations, stockbroker statements, or other documentation adequately evidencing your transactions in Bioventus Class A common

stock. Failure to provide this documentation could delay verification of your claim or result in rejection of your claim.

THE PARTIES DO NOT HAVE INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR TRANSACTIONS.

6. The above requests are designed to provide the minimum amount of information necessary to process the most simple claims. The Claims Administrator may request additional information as required, and the failure to provide such information may delay processing of your claim or result in its rejection.

7. NOTICE REGARDING ELECTRONIC FILES: Certain Claimants with large numbers of transactions may request, or may be requested, to submit information regarding their transactions in electronic files. (This is different than the online claim portal on the Settlement website.) All such Claimants MUST submit a signed Proof of Claim whether or not they also submit electronic copies. If you wish to submit your claim electronically, you must visit www.BioventusSecuritiesLitigation.com or contact the Claims Administrator at 877-933-2890 to obtain the required file layout. Any file not in accordance with the required electronic filing format will be subject to rejection. No electronic files will be considered to have been properly submitted unless the Claims Administrator issues to the Claimant a written acknowledgment of receipt and acceptance of electronically submitted data.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
Ciarciello v. Bioventus, Inc., et al., Case No. 1:23-cv-00032-CCE-JEP (M.D.N.C.)

PROOF OF CLAIM AND RELEASE

Must Be Postmarked (if mailed) or Received (if submitted online) No Later Than: December 2, 2024

Please Type or Print

REMEMBER TO ATTACH COPIES OF BROKER CONFIRMATIONS OR OTHER DOCUMENTATION OF YOUR TRANSACTIONS IN BIOVENTUS CLASS A COMMON STOCK. FAILURE TO PROVIDE THIS DOCUMENTATION COULD DELAY VERIFICATION OR RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR CLAIM.

PART I – CLAIMANT IDENTIFICATION

The Claims Administrator will use this information for all communications regarding this Proof of Claim. If this information changes, you **MUST** notify the Claims Administrator in writing at the address above. Complete names of all persons and entities must be provided.

Beneficial Owner's Name (First, Middle, Last)

Co-Beneficial Owner's Name

Representative or Custodian Name (if different from Beneficial Owner(s) listed above)

Street Address

City

State/Province

ZIP Code

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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Foreign Postal Code (*if applicable*)

Foreign Country (*if applicable*)

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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Social Security Number (Last four digits only) Taxpayer Identification Number (last four digits)

Telephone Number (Home)

Telephone Number (Cell)

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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Email Address*

Account Number

* Settlement payments may be sent to you digitally via email. Please provide a current, valid email address and mobile phone number on your Claim Form. If the email address or mobile phone number you include with your submission becomes invalid for any reason, it is your responsibility to provide accurate contact information to the Settlement Administrator to receive a payment. When you receive the email and/or mobile phone text notifying you of your Settlement payment, you will be provided with a number of digital payment options, such as PayPal or a virtual debit card, to immediately receive your Settlement payment. At that time, you will also have the option to request a paper check.

SCHEDULES OF TRANSACTIONS IN BIOVENTUS CLASS A COMMON STOCK

PART II: TRANSACTIONS IN BIOVENTUS CLASS A COMMON STOCK

<p>1. BEGINNING HOLDINGS - State the total number of shares of Bioventus Class A common stock held at the opening of trading on February 11, 2021. If none, write "0" or "Zero." (Must submit documentation.)</p> <div style="text-align: right; border: 1px solid black; width: 200px; height: 20px; margin-left: auto;"></div>				
<p>2. PURCHASES – Separately list each purchase or acquisition of Bioventus Class A common stock between February 11, 2021, and February 19, 2023, both inclusive. Use the checkbox to indicate any transactions that were not denominated in U.S. dollars. (Must submit documentation.)</p>				
Date of Purchase (List Chronologically) (MM/DD/YY)	Number of Shares Purchased	Purchase Price Per Share	Total Purchase Price (excluding taxes, commissions, and fees)	Purchased in Non- U.S. Currency?
		\$	\$	<input type="checkbox"/>
		\$	\$	<input type="checkbox"/>
		\$	\$	<input type="checkbox"/>
		\$	\$	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>3. SALES – Separately list each and every sale of Bioventus Class A common stock between February 11, 2021, and February 19, 2023, both inclusive. Use the checkbox to indicate any transactions that were not denominated in U.S. dollars. (Must submit documentation.)</p>				
Date of Sale (List Chronologically) (MM/DD/YY)	Number of Shares Sold	Sale Price Per Share	Total Sale Price (excluding taxes, commissions and fees)	Purchased in Non-U.S. Currency?
		\$	\$	<input type="checkbox"/>
		\$	\$	<input type="checkbox"/>
		\$	\$	<input type="checkbox"/>
		\$	\$	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>4. HOLDINGS AT END OF 90-DAY LOOKBACK PERIOD – State the total number of shares of Bioventus Class A common stock held as of the close of trading on February 19, 2023. If none, write "0" or "Zero." (Must submit documentation.)</p> <div style="text-align: right; border: 1px solid black; width: 200px; height: 20px; margin-left: auto;"></div>				
<p>5. HOLDINGS AT SEPTEMBER 3, 2024 – State the total number of shares of Bioventus Class A common stock held as of the close of trading on September 3, 2024. If none, write "0" or "Zero." (Must submit documentation.)</p> <div style="text-align: right; border: 1px solid black; width: 200px; height: 20px; margin-left: auto;"></div>				

<p>IF YOU NEED ADDITIONAL SPACE TO LIST YOUR TRANSACTIONS YOU MUST PHOTOCOPY THIS PAGE, ADD THE TRANSACTIONS, AND CHECK THIS BOX</p> <div style="text-align: right; border: 1px solid black; width: 40px; height: 20px; margin-left: auto;"></div>

YOU MUST READ AND SIGN THE RELEASE IN SECTION V. FAILURE TO SIGN THE RELEASE MAY RESULT IN A DELAY IN PROCESSING OR THE REJECTION OF YOUR CLAIM.

IV. SUBMISSION TO JURISDICTION OF COURT AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

By signing and submitting this Proof of Claim, the Claimant(s) or the person(s) acting on behalf of the Claimant(s) certify(ies) that: I (We) submit this Proof of Claim under the terms of the Plan of Allocation described in the accompanying Long-Form Notice. I (We) also submit to the jurisdiction of the United States District Court for the Middle District of North Carolina (the “Court”) with respect to my (our) claim as a Settlement Class Member(s) and for purposes of enforcing the releases set forth herein. I (We) further acknowledge that I (we) will be bound by and subject to the terms of any judgment entered in connection with the Settlement in the Action, including the releases set forth therein. I (We) agree to furnish additional information to the Claims Administrator to support this claim, such as additional documentation for transactions in Bioventus Class A common stock, if required to do so. I (We) have not submitted any other claim covering the same transactions in Bioventus Class A common stock that are the subject of this claim and know of no other person having done so on my (our) behalf.

V. RELEASES, WARRANTIES, AND CERTIFICATION

By signing and submitting this Proof of Claim, the Claimant(s) or the person(s) acting on behalf of the Claimant(s) certify(ies) as follows:

1. I (We) hereby warrant and represent that I am (we are) a Settlement Class Member as defined in the Long-Form Notice, that I am (we are) not excluded from the Settlement Class, that I am (we are) not one of the “Released Parties” as defined in the accompanying Long-Form Notice.

2. As a Settlement Class Member, I (we) hereby acknowledge full and complete satisfaction of, and do hereby fully, finally, and forever compromise, settle, release, resolve, relinquish, waive, and discharge with prejudice the Released Claims as to each and all of the Defendants and their Related Parties (as these terms are defined in the accompanying Long-Form Notice). This release shall be of no force or effect unless and until the Court approves the Settlement and it becomes effective on the Effective Date.

3. I (We) hereby warrant and represent that I (we) have not assigned or transferred or purported to assign or transfer, voluntarily or involuntarily, any matter released pursuant to this release or any other part or portion thereof and have not submitted any other claim covering the same purchases of Bioventus Class A common stock and know of no other person or entity having done so on my (our) behalf.

4. I (We) hereby warrant and represent that I (we) have included information about all of my (our) purchases and sales of Bioventus Class A common stock that occurred during the relevant periods and the number of Bioventus Class A common stock held by me (us), to the extent requested.

5. I (We) certify that I am (we are) NOT subject to backup tax withholding. (If you have been notified by the Internal Revenue Service that you are subject to backup withholding, please strike out the prior sentence.)

6. I (We) declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that all of the foregoing information supplied by the undersigned is true and correct.

7. Executed this ____ day of _____, 2024

Signature of Claimant, if any Type or print name of Claimant

Signature of Joint Claimant, if any Type or print name of Joint Claimant

Signature of person signing on behalf of Claimant Type or print name of person signing on behalf of Claimant

Capacity of person signing on behalf of Claimant if other than an individual (e.g., Administrator, Executor, Trustee, President, Custodian, Power of Attorney, etc.)

REMINDER CHECKLIST:

1. You must sign this Proof of Claim.
2. Remember to attach supporting documentation, if available.
3. DO NOT HIGHLIGHT THE PROOF OF CLAIM OR YOUR SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION.
4. Attach only copies of supporting documentation, not originals, as these documents will not be returned to you.
5. Keep a copy of your Proof of Claim for your records.
6. If you move after submitting this Proof of Claim, please promptly notify the Claims Administrator of the change in your address; otherwise, you may not receive additional notices or payment.

Appendix C

Authorization Requirements

If you are a nominee filing on behalf of your account holders, you must include the following documentation:

- Affidavit attesting that your entity has legal rights and authorization from your account holders to file Proofs of Claim and Release on their behalf **and** that your account holders understand that they are bound by and subject to the terms of all releases that may be entered in this Settlement, etc.; and
- Authorization to sign on your account holders' behalf.

If you are a third party filing on behalf of a nominee, you must include an Affidavit attesting to the following:

- Your entity has the legal right and authorization from the nominee to file and sign any Proofs of Claim and Release on their behalf;
- Your entity has the legal right and authorization from the nominee's account holders to file and sign any Proofs of Claim and Release on their behalf; and
- The account holders understand they are bound by and subject to the terms of all releases that may be entered in the Action.

If you are a third party filing on behalf of another party, you must include an Affidavit attesting to the following:

- Your entity has the legal right and authorization from the other party to file and sign any Proofs of Claim and Release on its behalf; and
- The other party understands it is bound by and subject to the terms of all releases that may be entered in the Action.

If you are not a nominee or a third party and would like to file claims electronically, you must include documentation supporting all transactional data of your claim as follows:

- Documents may include, but are not limited to, a) photocopies of stockbrokers' confirmation slips; b) photocopies of stockbrokers' monthly statements reflecting ALL transactional data and how it was compiled for the opening of the Class Period through the end of the Class Period; or c) a signed letter from your broker, on their letterhead, providing all of the information that would be found on a confirmation slip and/or other aforementioned documents.



Appendix D
Sample Cover Letter

LETTERHEAD

Re: Bioventus Securities Litigation

Date:

Enclosed is a fully executed master Proof of Claim and Release with required authorizations and affidavits as well as an electronic media attachment, which is being filed in connection with the above-referenced matter on behalf of [COMPANY NAME(S) OR INDIVIDUAL NAME(S)] for the proprietary accounts of [ENTITY].

We, [ENTITY], hereby agree that further communication from the Claims Administrator may be conducted by email, and we accept sole responsibility to ensure the email address for [ENTITY] is updated in the event the email address provided on the master Proof of Claim and Release should change.

The attachment consists of a [CD, DVD, OR FLASH DRIVE] containing [NUMBER] accounts/claims in [ASCII, MS EXCEL, OR MS ACCESS] format with [NUMBER OF TRANSACTIONS] transactions for Bioventus Common Stock as well as the opening and closing positions held for [ENTITY]'s proprietary accounts. Each transaction contains corresponding account information for which the claims are being filed.

The total number of Bioventus Common Stock shares purchased or acquired [##.##] for the amount of [\$0.0000] and Bioventus Common Stock shares sold [##.##] for the amount of [\$0.0000] can be found on the enclosed [CD, DVD, OR FLASH DRIVE].

We, [ENTITY], attest that the data provided on the media attachment corresponds to [ENTITY]'s internal records.

I attest that the above information is true and correct.

Signature

Company Name

Job Title

Contact Information (including telephone number, fax number, and email address).



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Appendix E

Electronic Claim Filing Template Mapping Instructions

Column	Field Name	Max Length	Bioventus Common Stock FIELD DESCRIPTION
A	Account Number	40	Account number associated with the proprietary account for which transactions are being submitted with this Proof of Claim and Release.
B	Account Name	40	Name of individual, company, or entity associated with the account listed in Column A.
C	Full Name of the Beneficial Owner	40	Full name of the beneficial owner associated with the account listed in Column A.
D	TIN of the Beneficial Owner	9	Taxpayer identification number (TIN) for beneficial owner, no spaces and no dashes.
E	Beneficial Owner TIN Type (E/S/U/F)	1	E = Employer Identification Number (EIN); S = Social Security Number (SSN); U = Unknown; F = Foreign.
F	Care of:	40	Name of the entity to which items should be mailed.
G	Attn:	40	Name of the person to whose attention items should be mailed.
H	Street 1	40	Street Address 1
I	Street 2	40	Street Address 2
J	City	25	City
K	State	2	State
L	Zip Code	5	Zip code
M	Province	40	NON-US ONLY: Province and Postal Code for fund distribution.
N	Country	40	Country
O	CUSIP/ISIN	10	CUSIP number or ISIN for common stock.
P	Transaction Type/Holdings	2	O = Opening position - shares held at opening of trading on February 11, 2021. P = Purchases made between February 11, 2021 through February 19, 2023, , inclusive; FR = Free receipts made between February 11, 2021 through February 19, 2023, inclusive; S = Sales made between February 11, 2021 through February 19, 2023, inclusive; FD = Free deliveries made between February 11, 2021 through February 19, 2023, inclusive; C = Closing position – shares held at close of trading on February 19, 2023. H = Holding position – shares held at the close of trading on September 3, 2024
Q	Trade Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	10	Trade date for transaction or holding date for closing position.
R	Number of Shares of Stock	19	Number of shares associated with a transaction. No commas: use decimal point if needed. Up to four digits after decimal point.
S	Price Per Share EXCLUDING Commissions/Taxes/Fees	19	Price per share (USD), excluding commissions/taxes/fees, associated with a transaction. No dollar sign, no commas; use decimal point, if needed. Up to four digits after decimal point. Leave blank when providing closing positions. Use zero when specifying free receipts and/or free deliveries.
T	Total Price EXCLUDING Commissions/Taxes/Fees	19	Aggregate cost or proceeds received (USD), excluding commissions/taxes/fees. No dollar sign, no commas; use decimal point, if needed. Up to four digits after decimal point. Use zero when specifying free receipts and/or free deliveries.

***All eligible common stock shares for each account must balance. This means that the opening position plus total purchases, and free receipts during the Class Period MUST EQUAL the total sales and free deliveries during the Class Period plus the closing position (O+P+FR+ =S+FD+C). Please note the “H” holding position will not factor into the balancing equation.**

***You MUST include a cover letter with your electronic file that provides the total number of accounts; total number of transactions; total number of purchases and sales; and contact name(s) with phone number(s) and email address(es) in the event that we have any questions or require further information. See Appendix D for a sample cover letter. Any electronic files not in accordance with these Electronic Claims Filing Guidelines are subject to rejection.**

Free Receipts and Free Deliveries are provided to balance your claim and will not result in a Recognized Loss under the Plan of Allocation. The original purchase and/or sale information relating to these shares must be provided in your original filing in order to be eligible under the Plan of Allocation.



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