

EXHIBIT 2

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

PLUMBERS & PIPEFITTERS LOCAL	)	Case No. 3:22-cv-03023-TLT (Securities Case)
UNION #295 PENSION FUND, Individually	)	
and on Behalf of All Others Similarly Situated,	)	<u>CLASS ACTION</u>
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	SECOND DECLARATION OF KATHLEEN
	)	BRAUNS IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFFS'
vs.	)	INTERIM POST-DISTRIBUTION
	)	ACCOUNTING
CAREDX, INC., et al.,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

1 I, Kathleen Brauns, declare as follows:

2 1. I am a Project Manager of the Class Action Administration Division of A.B. Data,
3 Ltd. (“A.B. Data”), whose corporate office is located in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. I am over 21 years
4 of age and am not a party to the Action.¹ The following statements are based on my personal
5 knowledge and information provided to me by A.B. Data employees working under my
6 supervision, and if called on to do so, I could and would testify competently thereto.

7 2. As further described in my previous declaration, the Declaration of Kathleen
8 Brauns in Support of Plaintiffs’ Interim Post-Distribution Accounting, (“Initial Brauns
9 Declaration” (ECF 199-2), on May 20, 2026, A.B. Data conducted the initial distribution of the
10 Net Settlement Fund, in accordance with the Plan of Allocation approved by the Court’s December
11 4, 2025 Order Granting Motion for Fairness and Final Approval of Settlement; Motion for
12 Attorneys’ Fees and Expenses (ECF 198) (the “Final Approval Order”). The initial distribution
13 included sending \$14,884,853.19 by check or wire transfer to 7,968 Authorized Claimants (Line
14 19) whose Claims were approved for payment. A.B. Data encountered no problems or unexpected
15 issues in conducting the distribution.

16 3. As of August 3, 2026, the figures that have changed from the Post-Distribution
17 Accounting Form (ECF No. 199-1) filed on June 1, 2026, are found on Lines 15, 16, 17, and 18.
18 Specifically, 140 checks (Line 16) totaling \$33,291.97 (Line 17) remain uncashed, reflecting a
19 success rate of 92.1% (Line 15). As a result, the total amount of settlement funds successfully
20 distributed to class members is now \$14,851,561.22 (Line 18). Although the checks mailed in the
21 distribution contained a stale date of August 18, 2026, A.B. Data is continuing to reach out by
22 email and phone calls to Claimants who did not cash their distribution checks and will offer to
23 reissue checks to Authorized Claimants who have not yet cashed their checks for as long as feasible
24 prior to any second distribution.

25 4. If the funds remaining in the Net Settlement Fund as a result of uncashed or returned
26 checks are sufficient to make a second distribution cost effective, A.B. Data will conduct a

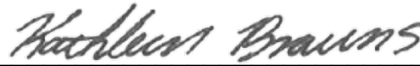
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28 ¹ Unless otherwise noted, all capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the same definitions as
in the Stipulation of Settlement (“Stipulation”) filed on May 23, 2025 (ECF 177-2).

1 subsequent distribution of the Net Settlement Fund after the initial distribution, in which A.B. Data
2 will redistribute any funds remaining in the Net Settlement Fund, after deducting any Court-
3 approved unpaid fees and expenses incurred, to Authorized Claimants who cashed their checks in
4 the initial distribution and who would be entitled to receive at least \$10 from the second
5 distribution. A.B. Data will continue to honor all requests to reissue checks to Authorized
6 Claimants for as long as feasible prior to any second distribution.

7 5. As set forth in the Stipulation and Final Approval Order, once reallocations are no
8 longer feasible, residual funds will be distributed to the *cy pres* recipient, the Council of
9 Institutional Investors (“CII”). The parties cannot estimate whether a *cy pres* distribution will be
10 necessary since it depends on the residual amounts available after distribution from the Net
11 Settlement Fund are completed.

12 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my
13 knowledge.

14 Executed on July 30, 2026.

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