

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

_____, Individually and on Behalf of
All Others Similarly Situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

VERADIGM INC. f/k/a ALLSCRIPTS
HEALTHCARE SOLUTIONS, INC. , PAUL
BLACK, and RICHARD POULTON,

Defendants.

Case No. DRAFT

**CLASS ACTION COMPLAINT FOR
VIOLATIONS OF THE FEDERAL
SECURITIES LAWS**

LAW OFFICES OF HOWARD G. SMITH

Plaintiff _____ (“Plaintiff”), individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated, by and through his attorneys, alleges the following upon information and belief, except as to those allegations concerning Plaintiff, which are alleged upon personal knowledge. Plaintiff’s information and belief is based upon, among other things, his counsel’s investigation, which includes without limitation: (a) review and analysis of regulatory filings made by Veradigm Inc. f/k/a Allscripts Healthcare Solutions, Inc. (“Veradigm” or the “Company”) with the United States (“U.S.”) Securities and Exchange Commission (“SEC”); (b) review and analysis of press releases and media reports issued by and disseminated by Veradigm; and (c) review of other publicly available information concerning Veradigm.

NATURE OF THE ACTION AND OVERVIEW

1. This is a class action on behalf of persons and entities that purchased or otherwise acquired Veradigm securities between August 6, 2021 and February 28, 2023 inclusive (the “Class Period”). Plaintiff pursues claims against the Defendants under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the “Exchange Act”).

2. Veradigm provides physician practices, hospitals, and other healthcare providers with practice management and electronic health record technology. The Company also provides products for patient engagement and care coordination, and financial and analytics technology.

3. On February 28, 2023, Veradigm disclosed that it “detected certain internal control failures related to revenue recognition that have occurred over the prior six quarters, resulting in a mis-statement to reported revenues during those periods.” As a result, the Company reported that it expects “a reduction in revenue from continuing operations of approximately \$20 million dollars in the aggregate from what it otherwise reported since the 3rd quarter of 2021 and expected to report for the 4th quarter of 2022.” The Company added that it is “continuing to evaluate the materiality of the mis-statement to determine if the full amount of this adjustment will flow through

in the 4th quarter of 2022 or if prior periods will also require adjustment.” As a result, Veradigm revised its 2023 guidance downward and announced that it would not be filing its 2022 annual report on time.

4. On this news, Veradigm’s share price fell as much as 14.7% during intraday trading on March 1, 2023, thereby injuring investors.

5. Throughout the Class Period, Defendants made materially false and/or misleading statements, as well as failed to disclose material adverse facts about the Company’s business, operations, and prospects. Specifically, Defendants failed to disclose to investors: (1) that the software tool the software tool implemented in 2021 was inaccurate; (2) that, as a result, the Company’s revenue recognition processes had been failing since the software tool had been implemented; (3) that the system generated double transactions, among other mistakes; (4) that this caused their reported revenue for the past six quarters to be inflated; (5) and that as a result of the foregoing, Defendant’s positive statements about the Company’s business, operations, and prospects were materially misleading and/or lacked a reasonable basis.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

6. The claims asserted herein arise under Sections 10(b) and 20(a) of the Exchange Act (15 U.S.C. §§ 78j(b) and 78t(a)) and Rule 10b-5 promulgated thereunder by the SEC (17 C.F.R. § 240.10b-5).

7. This Court has jurisdiction over the subject matter of this action pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1331 and Section 27 of the Exchange Act (15 U.S.C. § 78aa).

8. Venue is proper in this Judicial District pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1391(b) and Section 27 of the Exchange Act (15 U.S.C. § 78aa(c)). Substantial acts in furtherance of the alleged fraud or the effects of the fraud have occurred in this Judicial District. Many of the acts charged herein,

including the dissemination of materially false and/or misleading information, occurred in substantial part in this Judicial District.

9. In connection with the acts, transactions, and conduct alleged herein, Defendants directly and indirectly used the means and instrumentalities of interstate commerce, including the United States mail, interstate telephone communications, and the facilities of a national securities exchange.

PARTIES

10. Plaintiff _____, as set forth in the accompanying certification, incorporated by reference herein, purchased Veradigm securities during the Class Period, and suffered damages as a result of the federal securities law violations and false and/or misleading statements and/or material omissions alleged herein.

11. Defendant Veradigm is incorporated under the laws of Maryland and Delaware with its principal executive offices located in Chicago, Illinois. Veradigm's common stock trades on the NASDAQ Stock Market under the symbol "MDRX."

12. Defendant Paul Black ("Black") was the Company's President and Chief Executive Officer ("CEO") at all relevant times.

13. Defendant Richard Poulton ("Poulton") was the Company's Chief Financial Officer ("CFO") at all relevant times.

14. Defendants Black and Poulton (collectively the "Individual Defendants"), because of their positions with the Company, possessed the power and authority to control the contents of the Company's reports to the SEC, press releases and presentations to securities analysts, money and portfolio managers and institutional investors, i.e., the market. The Individual Defendants were provided with copies of the Company's reports and press releases alleged herein to be misleading prior to, or shortly after, their issuance and had the ability and opportunity to prevent

their issuance or cause them to be corrected. Because of their positions and access to material non-public information available to them, the Individual Defendants knew that the adverse facts specified herein had not been disclosed to, and were being concealed from, the public, and that the positive representations which were being made were then materially false and/or misleading. The Individual Defendants are liable for the false statements pleaded herein.

SUBSTANTIVE ALLEGATIONS

Background

15. Veradigm provides physician practices, hospitals, and other healthcare providers with practice management and electronic health record technology. The Company also provides products for patient engagement and care coordination, and financial and analytics technology.

16. On January 3, 2023, the Company announced that, “effective January 1, 2023, it has changed its name to Veradigm Inc. (NASDAQ: MDRX). Allscripts had been transitioning its solutions to the Veradigm brand during 2022, and Allscripts will now formally be known as Veradigm.”

Materially False and Misleading

Statements Issued During the Class Period

17. The Class Period begins on August 6, 2021.¹ On that day, the Company filed its Form 10-Q with the SEC for the quarter ended June 30, 2021 (the “2Q21 10-Q”), which stated that the disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of June 30, 2021.

18. On November 4, 2021, the Company issued a press release announcing its third quarter 2021 results. It stated that “[t]hird quarter 2021 revenue was \$369 million compared with \$366 million in the third quarter of 2020.”

¹ Unless otherwise stated, all emphasis in bold and italics hereinafter is added.

19. On November 5, 2021, the Company filed its Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 2021 (the “3Q21 10-Q”), which reaffirmed that the disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of September 30, 2021.

20. On February 24, 2022, the Company issued a press release announcing its fourth quarter and fiscal 2021 results, stating that “[f]ourth quarter 2021 revenue was \$392 million compared with \$386 million in the fourth quarter of 2020.”

21. On February 25, 2022, the Company filed its form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2021 (the “2021 10-K”). It stated that the disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of December 31, 2021.

22. The 2021 10-K also stated that the report of an independent registered public accounting firm stated that the disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of December 31, 2021.”

23. The 2021 10-K stated the following about revenue recognition:

We recognize revenue only when we satisfy an identified performance obligation (or bundle of obligations) by transferring control of a promised product or service to a customer. We consider a product or service to be transferred when a customer obtains control because a customer has sole possession of the right to use (or the right to direct the use of) the product or service for the remainder of its economic life or to consume the product or service in its own operations. We evaluate the transfer of control primarily from the customer’s perspective as this reduces the risk that revenue is recognized for activities that do not transfer control to the customer.

The majority of our revenue is recognized over time because a customer continuously and simultaneously receives and consumes the benefits of our performance. The exceptions to this pattern are our sales of perpetual and term software licenses, and hardware, where we determined that a customer obtains control of the asset upon granting of access, delivery or shipment. The following table summarizes the pattern of revenue recognition for our most significant performance obligations:

24. On May 5, 2022, the Company issued a press release announcing its second quarter 2022 financial results. It stated that “[f]irst quarter 2022 Veradigm revenue was \$136 million

compared with \$126 million in the first quarter of 2021. On a consolidated Allscripts basis first quarter 2022 revenue was \$143 million compared with \$134 million in the first quarter of 2021.”

25. On May 9, 2022, the Company filed its form 10-Q with the SEC for the quarter ended March 31, 2022 (the “1Q22 10-Q”), which reaffirmed that the disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of March 31, 2022.

26. On August 4, 2022, the Company issued a press release announcing its second quarter 2022 results. It stated that “[s]econd quarter 2022 Veradigm revenue was \$145 million compared with \$133 million in the second quarter of 2021. On a consolidated Allscripts basis second quarter 2022 revenue was \$151 million compared with \$141 million in the second quarter of 2021.”

27. On August 8, 2022, the Company filed its Form 10-Q with the SEC for the quarter ended June 30, 2022 (the “2Q22 10-Q”), reaffirming that the disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of June 30, 2022.

28. On November 3, 2022, the Company issued a press release detailing its financial results for the third quarter of fiscal year 2022. , it stated that “[t]hird quarter 2022 Veradigm revenue was \$145 million compared with \$137 million in the third quarter of 2021. On a consolidated Allscripts basis third quarter 2022 revenue was \$152 million compared with \$145 million in the third quarter of 2021.” The Company also reported consolidated revenue of \$152 million.

29. On November 7, 2022, the Company filed its Form 10-Q with the SEC for the quarter ended September 30, 2022 (the “3Q22 10-Q”), reaffirming that the disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of September 30, 2022.

30. The above statements identified in ¶¶ 17-29 were materially false and/or misleading, and failed to disclose material adverse facts about the Company's business, operations, and prospects. Specifically, Defendants failed to disclose to investors: (1) that the software tool the software tool implemented in 2021 was inaccurate; (2) that, as a result, the Company's revenue recognition processes had been failing since the software tool had been implemented; (3) that the system generated double transactions, among other mistakes; (4) that this caused their reported revenue for the past six quarters to be inflated; (5) and that as a result of the foregoing, Defendant's positive statements about the Company's business, operations, and prospects were materially misleading and/or lacked a reasonable basis.

Disclosures at the End of the Class Period

31. On February 28, 2023, the Company filed a form 12b-25 with the SEC indicating that it would be unable to timely file its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the period ended December 31, 2022 (the "Form 12b-25").

32. The Form 12b-25 stated, in relevant part:

The principal reason for the delay is that recently identified internal control failures relating to the Company's revenue recognition processes over the prior six quarters, primarily stemming from a **software tool the Company implemented in 2021**, as testing during the current period highlighted some system generated *duplicative transactions* and other errors impacting the results the Company was receiving from the tool, resulting in a *mis-statement to reported revenues* during those periods, have created the need to conduct additional review and testing prior to finalizing the assessment and the audits of the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2022 and of the Company's financial statements as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022. The Company is also continuing to evaluate the materiality of the mis-statement to determine whether prior periods will require adjustment, but as of the date hereof, no conclusion has been reached.

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In addition, the Company believes that the cumulative impact of the identified internal control failures referenced in Part III will be a reduction in the **Company's revenue from continuing operations of approximately \$20 million from what it**

otherwise reported since the third quarter of 2021 and expected to report for the fourth quarter of 2022. This adjustment will also impact reported operating income and net income from continuing operations for the respective periods, but at lower dollar amounts. The Company also believes that the identified internal control failures will have an impact on the Company's revenue from discontinued operations for the corresponding periods. The aggregate amount of the impact to revenue from discontinued operations for the corresponding periods is expected to be a lower amount than the anticipated impact to revenue from continuing operations.

33. On February 28, 2023, the Company also issued a press release detailing its fourth quarter and full year 2022 financial results. It contained the following guidance for 2023:

- Revenue is expected between \$625 million and \$645 million, versus the previous range between \$640 million and \$660 million
- Non-GAAP earnings per share is expected between \$0.80 and \$0.90, versus the previous range between \$0.90 and \$1.00

34. On this news, Veradigm's share price fell as much as 14.7% during intraday trading on March 1, 2023, thereby injuring investors.

CLASS ACTION ALLEGATIONS

35. Plaintiff brings this action as a class action pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23(a) and (b)(3) on behalf of a class, consisting of all persons and entities that purchased or otherwise acquired Veradigm securities between August 6, 2021 and February 28, 2023, inclusive, and who were damaged thereby (the "Class"). Excluded from the Class are Defendants, the officers and directors of the Company, at all relevant times, members of their immediate families and their legal representatives, heirs, successors, or assigns, and any entity in which Defendants have or had a controlling interest.

36. The members of the Class are so numerous that joinder of all members is impracticable. Throughout the Class Period, Veradigm's shares actively traded on the NASDAQ. While the exact number of Class members is unknown to Plaintiff at this time and can only be ascertained through appropriate discovery, Plaintiff believes that there are at least hundreds or

thousands of members in the proposed Class. Millions of Veradigm shares were traded publicly during the Class Period on the NASDAQ. Record owners and other members of the Class may be identified from records maintained by Veradigm or its transfer agent and may be notified of the pendency of this action by mail, using the form of notice similar to that customarily used in securities class actions.

37. Plaintiff's claims are typical of the claims of the members of the Class as all members of the Class are similarly affected by Defendants' wrongful conduct in violation of federal law that is complained of herein.

38. Plaintiff will fairly and adequately protect the interests of the members of the Class and has retained counsel competent and experienced in class and securities litigation.

39. Common questions of law and fact exist as to all members of the Class and predominate over any questions solely affecting individual members of the Class. Among the questions of law and fact common to the Class are:

(a) whether the federal securities laws were violated by Defendants' acts as alleged herein;

(b) whether statements made by Defendants to the investing public during the Class Period omitted and/or misrepresented material facts about the business, operations, and prospects of Veradigm; and

(c) to what extent the members of the Class have sustained damages and the proper measure of damages.

40. A class action is superior to all other available methods for the fair and efficient adjudication of this controversy since joinder of all members is impracticable. Furthermore, as the damages suffered by individual Class members may be relatively small, the expense and burden

of individual litigation makes it impossible for members of the Class to individually redress the wrongs done to them. There will be no difficulty in the management of this action as a class action.

UNDISCLOSED ADVERSE FACTS

41. The market for Veradigm's securities was open, well-developed and efficient at all relevant times. As a result of these materially false and/or misleading statements, and/or failures to disclose, Veradigm's securities traded at artificially inflated prices during the Class Period. Plaintiff and other members of the Class purchased or otherwise acquired Veradigm's securities relying upon the integrity of the market price of the Company's securities and market information relating to Veradigm, and have been damaged thereby.

42. During the Class Period, Defendants materially misled the investing public, thereby inflating the price of Veradigm's securities, by publicly issuing false and/or misleading statements and/or omitting to disclose material facts necessary to make Defendants' statements, as set forth herein, not false and/or misleading. The statements and omissions were materially false and/or misleading because they failed to disclose material adverse information and/or misrepresented the truth about Veradigm's business, operations, and prospects as alleged herein.

43. At all relevant times, the material misrepresentations and omissions particularized in this Complaint directly or proximately caused or were a substantial contributing cause of the damages sustained by Plaintiff and other members of the Class. As described herein, during the Class Period, Defendants made or caused to be made a series of materially false and/or misleading statements about Veradigm's financial well-being and prospects. These material misstatements and/or omissions had the cause and effect of creating in the market an unrealistically positive assessment of the Company and its financial well-being and prospects, thus causing the Company's securities to be overvalued and artificially inflated at all relevant times. Defendants' materially false and/or misleading statements during the Class Period resulted in Plaintiff and other

members of the Class purchasing the Company's securities at artificially inflated prices, thus causing the damages complained of herein when the truth was revealed.

LOSS CAUSATION

44. Defendants' wrongful conduct, as alleged herein, directly and proximately caused the economic loss suffered by Plaintiff and the Class.

45. During the Class Period, Plaintiff and the Class purchased Veradigm's securities at artificially inflated prices and were damaged thereby. The price of the Company's securities significantly declined when the misrepresentations made to the market, and/or the information alleged herein to have been concealed from the market, and/or the effects thereof, were revealed, causing investors' losses.

SCIENTER ALLEGATIONS

46. As alleged herein, Defendants acted with scienter since Defendants knew that the public documents and statements issued or disseminated in the name of the Company were materially false and/or misleading; knew that such statements or documents would be issued or disseminated to the investing public; and knowingly and substantially participated or acquiesced in the issuance or dissemination of such statements or documents as primary violations of the federal securities laws. As set forth elsewhere herein in detail, the Individual Defendants, by virtue of their receipt of information reflecting the true facts regarding Veradigm, their control over, and/or receipt and/or modification of Veradigm's allegedly materially misleading misstatements and/or their associations with the Company which made them privy to confidential proprietary information concerning Veradigm, participated in the fraudulent scheme alleged herein.

APPLICABILITY OF PRESUMPTION OF RELIANCE

(FRAUD-ON-THE-MARKET DOCTRINE)

47. The market for Veradigm's securities was open, well-developed and efficient at all relevant times. As a result of the materially false and/or misleading statements and/or failures to disclose, Veradigm's securities traded at artificially inflated prices during the Class Period. On April 5, 2022, the Company's share price closed at a Class Period high of \$23.09 per share. Plaintiff and other members of the Class purchased or otherwise acquired the Company's securities relying upon the integrity of the market price of Veradigm's securities and market information relating to Veradigm, and have been damaged thereby.

48. During the Class Period, the artificial inflation of Veradigm's shares was caused by the material misrepresentations and/or omissions particularized in this Complaint causing the damages sustained by Plaintiff and other members of the Class. As described herein, during the Class Period, Defendants made or caused to be made a series of materially false and/or misleading statements about Veradigm's business, prospects, and operations. These material misstatements and/or omissions created an unrealistically positive assessment of Veradigm and its business, operations, and prospects, thus causing the price of the Company's securities to be artificially inflated at all relevant times, and when disclosed, negatively affected the value of the Company shares. Defendants' materially false and/or misleading statements during the Class Period resulted in Plaintiff and other members of the Class purchasing the Company's securities at such artificially inflated prices, and each of them has been damaged as a result.

49. At all relevant times, the market for Veradigm's securities was an efficient market for the following reasons, among others:

(a) Veradigm shares met the requirements for listing, and was listed and actively traded on the NASDAQ, a highly efficient and automated market;

(b) As a regulated issuer, Veradigm filed periodic public reports with the SEC and/or the NASDAQ;

(c) Veradigm regularly communicated with public investors via established market communication mechanisms, including through regular dissemination of press releases on the national circuits of major newswire services and through other wide-ranging public disclosures, such as communications with the financial press and other similar reporting services; and/or

(d) Veradigm was followed by securities analysts employed by brokerage firms who wrote reports about the Company, and these reports were distributed to the sales force and certain customers of their respective brokerage firms. Each of these reports was publicly available and entered the public marketplace.

50. As a result of the foregoing, the market for Veradigm's securities promptly digested current information regarding Veradigm from all publicly available sources and reflected such information in Veradigm's share price. Under these circumstances, all purchasers of Veradigm's securities during the Class Period suffered similar injury through their purchase of Veradigm's securities at artificially inflated prices and a presumption of reliance applies.

51. A Class-wide presumption of reliance is also appropriate in this action under the Supreme Court's holding in *Affiliated Ute Citizens of Utah v. United States*, 406 U.S. 128 (1972), because the Class's claims are, in large part, grounded on Defendants' material misstatements and/or omissions. Because this action involves Defendants' failure to disclose material adverse information regarding the Company's business operations and financial prospects—information that Defendants were obligated to disclose—positive proof of reliance is not a prerequisite to recovery. All that is necessary is that the facts withheld be material in the sense that a reasonable investor might have considered them important in making investment decisions. Given the

importance of the Class Period material misstatements and omissions set forth above, that requirement is satisfied here.

NO SAFE HARBOR

52. The statutory safe harbor provided for forward-looking statements under certain circumstances does not apply to any of the allegedly false statements pleaded in this Complaint. The statements alleged to be false and misleading herein all relate to then-existing facts and conditions. In addition, to the extent certain of the statements alleged to be false may be characterized as forward looking, they were not identified as “forward-looking statements” when made and there were no meaningful cautionary statements identifying important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those in the purportedly forward-looking statements. In the alternative, to the extent that the statutory safe harbor is determined to apply to any forward-looking statements pleaded herein, Defendants are liable for those false forward-looking statements because at the time each of those forward-looking statements was made, the speaker had actual knowledge that the forward-looking statement was materially false or misleading, and/or the forward-looking statement was authorized or approved by an executive officer of Veradigm who knew that the statement was false when made.

FIRST CLAIM

Violation of Section 10(b) of The Exchange Act and

Rule 10b-5 Promulgated Thereunder

Against All Defendants

53. Plaintiff repeats and re-alleges each and every allegation contained above as if fully set forth herein.

54. During the Class Period, Defendants carried out a plan, scheme and course of conduct which was intended to and, throughout the Class Period, did: (i) deceive the investing

public, including Plaintiff and other Class members, as alleged herein; and (ii) cause Plaintiff and other members of the Class to purchase Veradigm's securities at artificially inflated prices. In furtherance of this unlawful scheme, plan and course of conduct, Defendants, and each defendant, took the actions set forth herein.

55. Defendants (i) employed devices, schemes, and artifices to defraud; (ii) made untrue statements of material fact and/or omitted to state material facts necessary to make the statements not misleading; and (iii) engaged in acts, practices, and a course of business which operated as a fraud and deceit upon the purchasers of the Company's securities in an effort to maintain artificially high market prices for Veradigm's securities in violation of Section 10(b) of the Exchange Act and Rule 10b-5. All Defendants are sued either as primary participants in the wrongful and illegal conduct charged herein or as controlling persons as alleged below.

56. Defendants, individually and in concert, directly and indirectly, by the use, means or instrumentalities of interstate commerce and/or of the mails, engaged and participated in a continuous course of conduct to conceal adverse material information about Veradigm's financial well-being and prospects, as specified herein.

57. Defendants employed devices, schemes and artifices to defraud, while in possession of material adverse non-public information and engaged in acts, practices, and a course of conduct as alleged herein in an effort to assure investors of Veradigm's value and performance and continued substantial growth, which included the making of, or the participation in the making of, untrue statements of material facts and/or omitting to state material facts necessary in order to make the statements made about Veradigm and its business operations and future prospects in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, as set forth more particularly

herein, and engaged in transactions, practices and a course of business which operated as a fraud and deceit upon the purchasers of the Company's securities during the Class Period.

58. Each of the Individual Defendants' primary liability and controlling person liability arises from the following facts: (i) the Individual Defendants were high-level executives and/or directors at the Company during the Class Period and members of the Company's management team or had control thereof; (ii) each of these defendants, by virtue of their responsibilities and activities as a senior officer and/or director of the Company, was privy to and participated in the creation, development and reporting of the Company's internal budgets, plans, projections and/or reports; (iii) each of these defendants enjoyed significant personal contact and familiarity with the other defendants and was advised of, and had access to, other members of the Company's management team, internal reports and other data and information about the Company's finances, operations, and sales at all relevant times; and (iv) each of these defendants was aware of the Company's dissemination of information to the investing public which they knew and/or recklessly disregarded was materially false and misleading.

59. Defendants had actual knowledge of the misrepresentations and/or omissions of material facts set forth herein, or acted with reckless disregard for the truth in that they failed to ascertain and to disclose such facts, even though such facts were available to them. Such defendants' material misrepresentations and/or omissions were done knowingly or recklessly and for the purpose and effect of concealing Veradigm's financial well-being and prospects from the investing public and supporting the artificially inflated price of its securities. As demonstrated by Defendants' overstatements and/or misstatements of the Company's business, operations, financial well-being, and prospects throughout the Class Period, Defendants, if they did not have actual knowledge of the misrepresentations and/or omissions alleged, were reckless in failing to

obtain such knowledge by deliberately refraining from taking those steps necessary to discover whether those statements were false or misleading.

60. As a result of the dissemination of the materially false and/or misleading information and/or failure to disclose material facts, as set forth above, the market price of Veradigm's securities was artificially inflated during the Class Period. In ignorance of the fact that market prices of the Company's securities were artificially inflated, and relying directly or indirectly on the false and misleading statements made by Defendants, or upon the integrity of the market in which the securities trades, and/or in the absence of material adverse information that was known to or recklessly disregarded by Defendants, but not disclosed in public statements by Defendants during the Class Period, Plaintiff and the other members of the Class acquired Veradigm's securities during the Class Period at artificially high prices and were damaged thereby.

61. At the time of said misrepresentations and/or omissions, Plaintiff and other members of the Class were ignorant of their falsity, and believed them to be true. Had Plaintiff and the other members of the Class and the marketplace known the truth regarding the problems that Veradigm was experiencing, which were not disclosed by Defendants, Plaintiff and other members of the Class would not have purchased or otherwise acquired their Veradigm securities, or, if they had acquired such securities during the Class Period, they would not have done so at the artificially inflated prices which they paid.

62. By virtue of the foregoing, Defendants violated Section 10(b) of the Exchange Act and Rule 10b-5 promulgated thereunder.

63. As a direct and proximate result of Defendants' wrongful conduct, Plaintiff and the other members of the Class suffered damages in connection with their respective purchases and sales of the Company's securities during the Class Period.

SECOND CLAIM

Violation of Section 20(a) of The Exchange Act

Against the Individual Defendants

64. Plaintiff repeats and re-alleges each and every allegation contained above as if fully set forth herein.

65. Individual Defendants acted as controlling persons of Veradigm within the meaning of Section 20(a) of the Exchange Act as alleged herein. By virtue of their high-level positions and their ownership and contractual rights, participation in, and/or awareness of the Company's operations and intimate knowledge of the false financial statements filed by the Company with the SEC and disseminated to the investing public, Individual Defendants had the power to influence and control and did influence and control, directly or indirectly, the decision-making of the Company, including the content and dissemination of the various statements which Plaintiff contends are false and misleading. Individual Defendants were provided with or had unlimited access to copies of the Company's reports, press releases, public filings, and other statements alleged by Plaintiff to be misleading prior to and/or shortly after these statements were issued and had the ability to prevent the issuance of the statements or cause the statements to be corrected.

66. In particular, Individual Defendants had direct and supervisory involvement in the day-to-day operations of the Company and, therefore, had the power to control or influence the particular transactions giving rise to the securities violations as alleged herein, and exercised the same.

67. As set forth above, Veradigm and Individual Defendants each violated Section 10(b) and Rule 10b-5 by their acts and omissions as alleged in this Complaint. By virtue of their position as controlling persons, Individual Defendants are liable pursuant to Section 20(a) of the Exchange Act. As a direct and proximate result of Defendants' wrongful conduct, Plaintiff and

other members of the Class suffered damages in connection with their purchases of the Company's securities during the Class Period.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays for relief and judgment, as follows:

- (a) Determining that this action is a proper class action under Rule 23 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure;
- (b) Awarding compensatory damages in favor of Plaintiff and the other Class members against all defendants, jointly and severally, for all damages sustained as a result of Defendants' wrongdoing, in an amount to be proven at trial, including interest thereon;
- (c) Awarding Plaintiff and the Class their reasonable costs and expenses incurred in this action, including counsel fees and expert fees; and
- (d) Such other and further relief as the Court may deem just and proper.

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

Plaintiff hereby demands a trial by jury.

Dated: _____, 2023

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