EXHIBIT A

PROPOSED ORDER

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

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In re	:	Chapter 11
Laboratory Partners, Inc., et al., 1	1	Case No. 13-12769 ()
Debtors.	:	(Joint Administration Pending)
	:	Re: D.I
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ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DEBTORS TO (I) FILE (A) CONSOLIDATED LIST OF CREDITORS AND (B) CONSOLIDATED LIST OF DEBTORS' TOP THIRTY (30) CREDITORS, AND (II) PROVIDE NOTICES, INCLUDING NOTICES OF COMMENCEMENT OF CASES AND SECTION 341 MEETING

Upon the motion (the Motion")² of the above-captioned debtors and debtors in possession (the "Debtors"), for entry of an order pursuant to section 521 of the Bankruptcy Code and section 156(c) of title 28 of the United States Code authorizing the Debtors to (i) file (a) a consolidated list of creditors and (b) a consolidated list of the Debtors' thirty (30) largest unsecured creditors; and (ii) complete all mailings of notices, including notices of the commencement of these cases and of the meeting of creditors pursuant to section 341 of the Bankruptcy Code; and upon consideration of the Brandt Declaration; and adequate notice of the Motion having been given as set forth in the Motion; and it appearing that no other or further notice is necessary; and the Court having jurisdiction to consider the Motion and the relief requested therein pursuant to 28

The Debtors and the last four digits of their taxpayer identification numbers are as follows: Laboratory Partners, Inc. (3376), Kilbourne Medical Laboratories, Inc. (9849), MedLab Ohio, Inc. (9072), Suburban Medical Laboratory, Inc. (0859), Biological Technology Laboratory, Inc. (4370), Terre Haute Medical Laboratory, Inc. (1809), and Pathology Associates of Terre Haute, Inc. (6485). Certain of the Debtors do business as MEDLAB. The Debtors' mailing address for notice in these cases is: 671 Ohio Pike, Suite K, Cincinnati, OH 45245.

² Capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the Motion.

U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334; and the Court having determined that consideration of the Motion is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2); and the Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Motion and the Brandt Declaration establish just cause for the relief requested in the Motion, and that such relief is in the best interests of the Debtors, their estates, their creditors and the parties in interest; and upon the record in these proceedings; and after due deliberation;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The Motion is GRANTED as set forth herein.
- 2. The Debtors are authorized to file the Consolidated Top 30 List.
- 3. The Debtors are authorized to file one declaration under Bankruptcy Rule 1008 in connection with the consolidated list of creditors and the Consolidated Top 30 List.
- 4. The Debtors, with the assistance of BMC, are directed to mail notices to the consolidated list of creditors, including without limitation, (a) the notice of commencement of the Chapter 11 cases; (b) the notice of a meeting of creditors under Section 341 of the Bankruptcy Code; (c) any notice of the time fixed for filing objections to, and the hearing to consider, approval of a disclosure statement or consider confirmation of a Plan; and (d) any correspondence the Debtors may wish to send as part of the Debtors' communication efforts to keep their creditors informed with respect to the status of these chapter 11 cases.
- The Debtors, with the assistance of BMC, are directed to undertake all mailings directed by this Court, the office of the United States Trustee, or as required by the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rules.
- 6. Notwithstanding any provision in the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure to the contrary, (i) the terms of this Order shall be immediately effective and enforceable upon its

entry, (ii) the Debtors are not subject to any stay in the implementation, enforcement or realization of the relief granted in this Order, and (iii) the Debtors may, in their discretion and without further delay, take any action and perform any act authorized under this Order.

- 7. The requirements set forth in Rule 6003(b) of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure are satisfied by the contents of the Motion or otherwise deemed waived.
- 8. The court retains jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to the interpretation, implementation or enforcement of this Order.

Dated: Wilmington	on, Delaware	
		THE HONORABLEUNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

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