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HEATHER R. SHEPPARD  
AND ALPHONSO SHEPPARD,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

ETHICON, INC., ETHICON WOMEN'S  
HEALTH AND UROLOGY, a Division of  
ETHICON, INC., GYNECARE, JOHNSON  
& JOHNSON, and JOHN DOES 1-20,

Defendants.

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
LAW DIVISION, BERGEN COUNTY  
DOCKET NO. BER-L-13926-14 MCL

MASTER DOCKET NO. BER-L-11575-14

CIVIL ACTION

In re Pelvic Mesh/Gynecare Litigation  
Case No. 291

**CONSENT ORDER TO DISMISS  
WITH PREJUDICE AND  
WITHOUT COSTS**

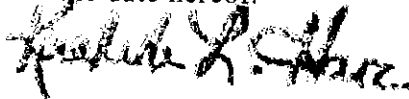
Plaintiffs Heather R. Sheppard and Alphonso Sheppard and Defendants Ethicon, Inc., Ethicon Women's Health and Urology, a Division of Ethicon, Inc., Gynecare, and Johnson & Johnson advise the Court that they have compromised and settled all claims between them in the above-captioned matter, including all counterclaims, cross-claims and third-party claims.

Accordingly, all parties jointly request that the Court to dismiss with prejudice, and terminate from the docket of the Court with each party to bear its own costs.

IT IS ON THIS 18<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2018;

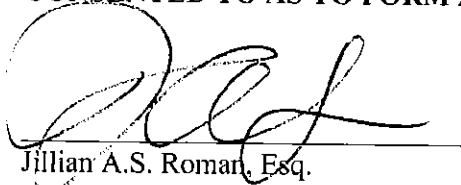
**ORDERED** that all claims, cross-claims and third-party claims between the parties be and are hereby dismissed with prejudice. The parties shall bear their own fees and costs.

**ORDERED** that copies of this Order shall be served upon all counsel of record and all liaison counsel within five (5) days of the date hereof.

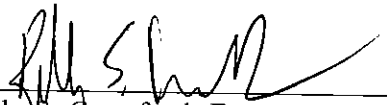


Honorable Rachelle L. Harz, J.S.C.

**CONSENTED TO AS TO FORM AND ENTRY:**



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