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JUDGE JESSICA R. MAVER

MAX APEL and JOAN APEL, his wife, :
 :
 Plaintiffs, :
 v. :

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
LAW DIVISION: MIDDLESEX COUNTY
DOCKET NO.: MID-L-010623-09 MT

JOHNSON & JOHNSON, JOHNSON & :
JOHNSON PHARMACEUTICAL RESEARCH & :
DEVELOPMENT L.L.C., JANSSEN :
PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS, L.P., :
ASTRAZENECA PHARMACEUTICALS, L.P., :
ASTRAZENECA, L.P., SURINDERJEET :
SANDHU, M.D., PREFERRED BEHAVIORIAL :
HEALTH OF NEW JERSEY, INC., ABC CORP. :
#1-25 (being fictitious names for persons or entities :
whose roles and identities are presently unknown), :
JOHN DOES #1-25 (being fictitious names for :
persons or entities whose roles and identities are :
presently unknown), :
Defendant(s). :

Civil Action
(Medical Malpractice)
and
(Product Liability)

**(IN RE RISPERDAL/SEROQUEL
/ZYPREXA LITIGATION 274)**

ORDER

THIS MATTER having been opened to the Court upon the application of Bathgate, Wegener & Wolf, P.C., attorneys for Plaintiffs Max Apel and Joan Apel for an Order seeking leave to file a Second Amended Complaint to add and/or substitute fictitiously named party defendants pursuant to R. 4:9-1, R. 4:9-3 and/or R. 4:26-4; and the Court having considered the moving papers and any opposition filed thereto; and for good cause shown

IT IS on this 18th day of February of 2011;

ORDERED that Plaintiffs' motion be and is hereby **GRANTED**; and it is further

within 20 days of the date of this order

ORDERED that Plaintiffs be and are hereby **PERMITTED LEAVE TO FILE** *and serve*
A SECOND AMENDED COMPLAINT to add and/or substitute Defendants Maher
Awad, M.D. and St. Barnabas Behavioral Health Center and to assert a cause of action
for medical malpractice against these Defendants; and it is further

ORDERED that a copy of this Order shall be ~~served upon~~ ^{listed for} all counsel of record
within 7 days of the date hereof.

UNOPPOSED



JESSICA R. MAYER, J.S.C. J.S.C

PAPERS CONSIDERED:

- Notice of Motion
- Movant's Affidavits
- Movant's Brief
- Answering Affidavits
- Answering Brief
- Cross-Motion
- Movant's Reply
- Other _____

"Having reviewed the above motion, I find
it to be meritorious on its face and is
unopposed. Pursuant to R. 1:6-2, it
therefore will be granted essentially for the
reasons set forth in the moving papers."