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**RACHELLE L. HARZ**

**SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
LAW DIVISION: BERGEN COUNTY**

**DOCKET NO.: BER-L-5940-16  
Trident Multicounty Litigation Case No.  
285**

**CIVIL ACTION**

**CONSENT ORDER TO FURTHER  
EXTEND TIME TO RESPOND TO  
COMPLAINT**

JOAN SMOOK and PETER SMOOK,  
  
Plaintiffs,  
  
vs.  
  
HOWMEDICA OSTEONICS  
CORPORATION, a New Jersey corporation,  
d/b/a  
STRYKER ORTHOPAEDICS,  
  
Defendant.


**THIS MATTER** having been brought before the Court jointly by Defendant Howmedica Osteonics Corp. ("HOC") and Plaintiffs Joan Smook and Peter Smook ("Plaintiffs"), by and through their undersigned attorneys, seeking the entry of an Order further extending the time in which HOC may respond to Plaintiffs' Complaint from December 14, 2018, to and including February 28, 2019, and HOC and Plaintiffs having consented to the form, content and entry of this Order, and for other good cause shown,

IT IS on this 13<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2018

**ORDERED** that the time within which HOC may respond to Plaintiff's Complaint is hereby further extended from December 14, 2018, to and including February 28, 2019; and

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that a copy of this Order shall be served upon all parties of record within seven (7) days of counsel's receipt of the executed Order.

SO ORDERED:


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

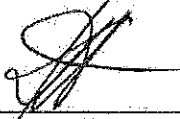
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
The undersigned counsel hereby consent to the terms of the order set forth above.

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