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IN RE: DIET DRUG LITIGATION  
VENUED IN BERGEN COUNTY

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
LAW DIVISION: BERGEN COUNTY  
DOCKET NO. BER-L-7718-03-MT  
CASE CODE 240

*APPLICABLE TO ALL CASES*

**CONSENT ORDER  
REGARDING MASTER PLEADINGS**

The Discovery Committee and Liaison Counsel having conferred and the parties having agreed to the form and entry of this Order, and no objection having been raised, and good cause having been shown,

IT IS on this <sup>th</sup> 25 day of *February*, 2004, ORDERED AS FOLLOWS:

1. Plaintiffs' Amended Master Long Form Complaint and Amended New Jersey Diet Drug Short Form Complaint were filed with the court under docket number BER-L-7718-03 and served upon all counsel via Verilaw by correspondence dated January 23, 2004.

2. Hereinafter, all Complaints filed in the New Jersey diet drug litigation shall conform to the form of the Amended New Jersey Diet Drug Short Form Complaint and be accompanied by a Case Information Statement and the applicable filing fee.

3. Wyeth's Master Long Form Answer was filed with the court under docket number BER-L-7718-03 and served upon all counsel via Verilaw by correspondence dated January 23, 2004.

4. No previously filed pleadings filed in accordance with Case Management Order No. 1 need be repleaded.

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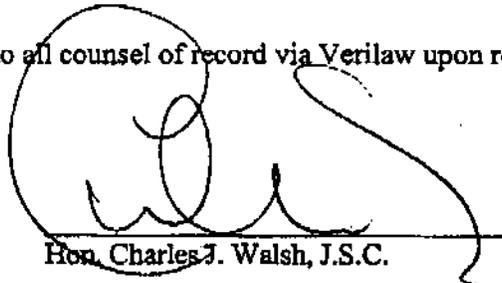
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5. Plaintiffs who filed pleadings in accordance with Case Management Order No. 1 may file an amended complaint without the necessity of filing a motion.

6. No Answer need be filed to an amended pleading unless a new cause of action is asserted against a party.

7. All cross claims shall be deemed denied and no Answers responding to cross claims need be filed.

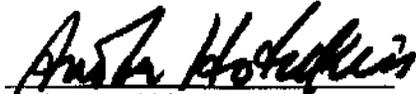
8. A copy of this Order shall be served to all counsel of record via Verilaw upon receipt.

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Hon. Charles J. Walsh, J.S.C.

**CHARLES J. WALSH, J.S.C.**

As Liaison Counsel for Defendant Wyeth, the undersigned consents to the form and entry of this Order

  
Anita Hotchkiss, Esq.

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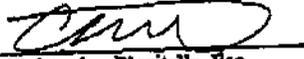
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As Co-Liaison Counsel for Plaintiffs, the undersigned  
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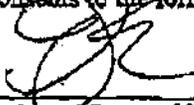
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As Co-Liaison Counsel for Plaintiffs, the undersigned  
consents to the form and entry of this Order

  
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Esther E. Berezofsky, Esq.

Date: 2-17-04