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KEVIN M. COUGHLIN, SR. and KATHLEEN COUGHLIN,

Plaintiffs,

v.

DEPUY ORTHOPAEDICS, INC. and JOHNSON & JOHNSON,

Defendants.

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY LAW DIVISION: BERGEN COUNTY DOCKET NUMBER: BER-L-5353-12

CIVIL ACTION

IN RE DEPUY ASR™ HIP IMPLANTS LITIGATION CASE. NO. 293

> ORDER ADMITTING EDWARD E. TABER, ESQ. PRO HAC VICE

THIS MATTER having been opened to the Court by Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP, attorneys for defendants, DePuy Orthopaedics, Inc. and Johnson & Johnson, to permit Edward E. Taber, Esq., an attorney admitted to the practice of law in the State of Ohio, to participate with other counsel for defendants in all phases of the trial, and it appearing that Edward E. Taber, Esq. is a licensed attorney in good standing in the State of Ohio, and it appearing that Plaintiffs' Complaint raises products liability claims, and it further appearing that the law practice of Edward E. Taber, Esq. focuses on the trial and appeal of products liability cases, and it further appearing that defendants have requested that Edward E. Taber, Esq. represent them in this matter, and the Court having considered the respective Certifications of Susan M. Sharko, Esq.



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and Edward E. Taber, Esq. submitted in support of the Motion, and the parties having assented hereto, and for good cause having been shown:

## ORDERED:

That Edward E. Taber shall and hereby is admitted *pro hac vice* and is authorized to appear and participate with other counsel for defendants in all phases of the trial, subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Edward E. Taber, Esq. shall abide by the New Jersey Court Rules including all disciplinary rules, R. 1:20-1 and R. 1:28-2.
- 2. Edward E. Taber, Esq. shall, and hereby does, consent to the appointment of the Clerk of the Supreme Court as his agent upon whom service of process may be made for all actions against him or Tucker Ellis LLP that may arise out of his participation in this matter.
- 3. Edward E. Taber, Esq. shall immediately notify the Court of any matter affecting his standing at the Bar of any other jurisdiction.
- 4. Edward E. Taber, Esq. shall have all pleadings, briefs and other papers filed with the court signed by an attorney of record authorized to practice in New Jersey, who shall be held responsible for them, the conduct of the litigation and the attorney admitted herein.
- 5. Edward E. Taber, Esq. cannot be designated as trial counsel and must be accompanied by a member of the New Jersey Bar at all proceedings, unless specifically waived by the Court.
- 6. No discovery, motion, trial or any other proceeding delay shall occur or be requested by reason of the inability of Edward E. Taber, Esq. to be in attendance.

- Edward E. Taber, Esq. must, within ten (10) days, pay the fees required by R. 7. 1:20-1(b) and R. 1:28-2 and submit an affidavit of compliance.
- The pro hac vice admission of Edward E. Taber, Esq. will automatically terminate 8. for failure to make the initial and any annual payment required by  $\underline{R}$ . 1:20-1(b) and  $\underline{R}$ . 1:28-2.
- Non-compliance with any of the terms of this Order shall constitute grounds for 9. removal.
- A true copy of this Order shall be served upon all counsel of record within seven 10. (7) days of the date hereof.

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Brian R. Martinotti, J.S.C.

This Motion was:	
	Opposed
	Unopposed