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BETTY JO BEULIKE,

Plaintiff,

vs.

MERCK, SHARP & DOHME, CORP.,

Defendant.

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
LAW DIVISION: MIDDLESEX COUNTY
CASE NO. L-9021-14

CIVIL ACTION

IN RE FOSAMAX LITIGATION

**ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO
FILE AN AMENDED COMPLAINT**

THIS MATTER coming on to be heard on the Motion of Plaintiff for Leave to File an Amended Complaint, and the Court having considered the moving papers and for good cause shown,

IT IS on this 5th day of August, 2025,

ORDERED that Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to file an Amended Complaint substituting Michael Beulike as Administrator of the Estate of Betty Jo Beulike is hereby **GRANTED**, and

ORDERED that Plaintiff shall file and serve the proposed Amended Complaint within ten (10) days of this Order; and it is further

ORDERED that service of this Order shall be deemed effectuated upon all parties upon its upload to eCourts. Pursuant to Rule 1:5-1(a), movant shall serve a copy of this Order on all parties not served electronically within seven (7) days of the date of this Order.

UNOPPOSED

/s/ Bruce J. Kaplan

HONORABLE BRUCE J. KAPLAN, P.J.Cv.

Having reviewed the within motion, this Court finds it meritorious on its face and is unopposed. This Court is granting leave to amend the Complaint in accord with R. 4:9-1. Moreover, the Court is granting substitution of Plaintiff as permitted under R. 4:34-1. Pursuant to R. 1:6-2, this Motion will be granted essentially for the reasons set forth in the moving papers.