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TRACY YODER and ALLAN YODER,

Plaintiffs,

VS.

ETHICON, INC., et al.,

Defendants.

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SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
LAW DIVISION - BERGEN COUNTY

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CIVIL ACTION

In re Pelvic Mesh/Gynecare Litigation Case No. 291

ORDER AUTHORIZING ANAPOL WEISS TO BE RELIEVED AS COUNSEL

THIS MATTER having come before the Court on the Motion of Anapol Weiss, counsel for the plaintiffs, on June 23, 2025, seeking to be relieved as counsel, and the Court having read and considered all submissions in connection with the Motion; good cause appearing;

IT IS on this _____day of ______, 2025, ORDERED:

- Anapol Weiss is hereby relieved as counsel for plaintiffs subject to the additional provisions of this Order.
- 2. Anapol Weiss shall serve a copy of this order on Plaintiff and/or Plaintiff's representative at the last known

address and upon counsel for Defendants, and shall submit via JEDS a Certification of such service within 10 days of the date of this Order. Plaintiffs' last known address is:

Tracy Yoder and Allan Yoder 6376 Milhaven Avenue Canal Fulton, OH 44664 Tseager1@gmail.com

3. Plaintiffs shall have 40 days from the date of this Order to notify the Court in writing that they either have new counsel or intend to prosecute the case *pro se* (without an attorney). The writing shall be addressed to:

The Honorable Gregg A. Padovano, J.S.C.
Superior Court of New Jersey
Bergen County Courthouse - 3rd Floor Rotunda
10 Main Street
Hackensack, NJ 07601

And the written notice must be received by the Court within the 40-day window period.

4. A copy of the notice shall also be sent to counsel for the Defendants at:

Kelly S. Crawford RIKER DANZIG LLP 7 Giralda Farms, Suite 250 Madison, NJ 07940-1051

5. If the Court does not receive the notice within the 40-day period, the Complaint will be deemed dismissed without prejudice as to all defendants. Counsel for the Defendants

may submit a proposed Order to that effect without further notice to the Plaintiffs.

6. If Plaintiffs' Complaint is dismissed without prejudice under the terms of this order, plaintiffs may move to reinstate the complaint within 60 days of the date of the order dismissing without prejudice. If no motion to reinstate is filed by that date, then counsel for Defendant may submit an Order to convert the dismissal to dismissal with prejudice, without further notice to the plaintiffs.

The Court **DIRECTS** the Clerk to file a copy of this order on the docket.

Hon. Gregg A. Padovano, J.S.C.

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