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CHRISTY MCDANIEL,

Plaintiff,

vs.

ETHICON, INC., ETHICON WOMEN'S
HEALTH AND UROLOGY, a Division
of Ethicon, Inc., GYNECARE,
JOHNSON & JOHNSON,
AND JOHN DOES 1-20,

Defendants.

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: SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
: LAW DIVISION – BERGEN COUNTY
: DOCKET NO. BER-L-5653-23
: MASTER CASE NO. L-11575-14-CT

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: Civil Action
: Gynecare Litigation, Case No. 291 CT

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: ORDER
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THIS MATTER, having come before the Court by way of motion of counsel for

Plaintiff, Christy McDaniel, and the Court having reviewed the motion, and for good cause shown:

IT IS ON THIS 3RD day of JULY, 2025 HEREBY ORDERED AS

FOLLOWS:

1. The motion to admit J. Joseph Kusmierczak *pro hac vice* is hereby GRANTED.
2. J. Joseph Kusmierczak shall abide by all New Jersey Court rules, including all

disciplinary Rules; R. 1:20-1 and R. 1:28-2;

3. J. Joseph Kusmierczak does hereby consent to the appointment of the Clerk of the Supreme Court as the agent upon whom service of process may be made for all actions against the attorney or the attorney's firm that may arise out of the attorney's participation in the matter;

4. J. Joseph Kusmierczak shall notify the court immediately of any matter affecting the attorney's standing at the bar of any other court; and

5. J. Joseph Kusmierczak shall have all pleadings, briefs and other papers filed with the court signed by an attorney of record authorized to practice in this State, who shall be held responsible for them and for the conduct of the cause and of the admitted attorney therein;

6. J. Joseph Kusmierczak cannot be designated as trial counsel;

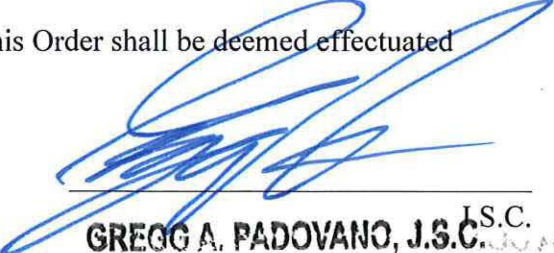
7. No delay in discovery, motions, trial, or any other proceeding shall occur or be requested by reason of the inability of Joe Kusmierczak to be in attendance;

8. J. Joseph Kusmierczak must, within 10 days, pay the fees required by R. 1:20-1(b) and R. 1:28-2 and submit affidavits of compliance;

9. Automatic termination of Pro Hac Vice admission will occur for failure to make the required annual payment to the Ethics Financial Committee and the New Jersey Lawyer's Fund for Client Protection. Proof of such payment, after filing proof of the initial payment shall be made no later than February of each year;

10. Noncompliance with any of these requirements shall constitute grounds for removal;

It is **FURTHER ORDERED** that service of this Order shall be deemed effectuated upon all parties upon its upload to e-Courts.



GREGG A. PADOVANO, J.S.C.