In re: STRYKER REJUVENATE & ABG II MODULAR HIP IMPLANT LITIGATION

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
LAW DIVISION: BERGEN COUNTY

**CASE NO. 296** 

Master Docket No. BER-L-936-13 MCL

CIVIL ACTION

This Document Relates to All Actions Indicated in EXHIBIT A

ORDER FURTHER RELATING TO PRIVATE SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

This Court has received a report regarding the status of the 2020 Settlement Program, which remains in progress, including the late enrollment of matters that failed to timely register pursuant to the prior applicable Settlement Program Registration Orders. The Court is also aware that a substantial number of case dismissals will be entered periodically over the next several months as the Settlement Program is completed. The Court is also aware of the status of the related Multidistrict Litigation and the Order recently entered in that litigation. Accordingly, based upon the status of the Settlement Program, the overall docket, and the MDL litigation, the Court hereby orders as follows:

## IT IS HEREBY ORDERED BY THE COURT:

- 1. Lead counsel for the parties, Ellen Relkin, Esq. (Weitz & Luxenberg, P.C.) for Plaintiffs, and Kim M. Catullo (Gibbons P.C.) for Defendants, shall confer regarding the overall status of the 2020 Settlement Program and provide a further update to this Court regarding the Settlement Program, including the dismissal status by October 1, 2021.
- 2. In light of the status of the Settlement Program and the anticipated dismissals and other docket management activities, discovery in this matter shall be further stayed until January 7, 2022, unless otherwise ordered.

Dated: August <u>5</u>, 2021

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HON. RACHELLE L. HARZ, J.S.C.