SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY LAW DIVISION: ATLANTIC COUNTY

CASE NO. 285

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ORDER POROLE. Higher, P.J.C.

This matter, having come before the Court by Plaintiffs' letter dated January 22, 2010 served upon all parties of record and for good cause shown,

IN RE: STRYKER TRIDENT HIP

IMPLANT LITIGATION

A. The Master Long Form Complaint submitted by plaintiffs is hereby adopted in the form attached hereto. The Master Long Form Complaint will posted at the court's website:

http://www.judiciary.state.nj.us/mass-tort/forms/index.htm

B. The Short Form Complaint submitted by plaintiffs is hereby adopted in the form attached hereto. The Short Form Complaint will be posted at the court's website:

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C. All plaintiffs asserting claims arising from the implantation of the Stryker

Trident<sup>TM</sup> Hip Implant are required to file and serve Case Information

Statements, along with complaints that utilize the court-approved Short

Form Complaint.

- D. All non-conforming complaints filed before January 25, 2010, or on file as of the date of this order, will be deemed to conform to the master long form complaint.
- E. No later than six months before any case is listed for trail, Plaintiffs must provide to defense counsel, an Amended Complaint setting forth any particular statutes and common law upon which they are relying other than the New Jersey Product Liability Act.

CAROL E. HIGBEE, P.J.Cv.

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