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SABRINA LOPEMAN, Individually and as Personal Representative of the ESTATE OF SEAN LOPEMAN,

Plaintiff,

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NOVARTIS PHARMACEUTICALS CORPORATION,

Defendant.

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY LAW DIVISION, BERGEN COUNTY

CASE NO. 635 (TASIGNA)

DOCKET NO.: BER-L-3966-22

CIVIL ACTION

ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO DISMISS FOR FAILURE TO PROVIDE A PLAINTIFF FACT SHEET

THIS MATTER having been brought before the Court upon Motion by Harris Beach PLLC, counsel for Defendant Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corp., as set forth in the Notice of Motion, for an Order dismissing Plaintiff's Complaint for failure to timely provide a Plaintiff Fact Sheet ("PFS") in compliance with Case Management Order No. 3; and the Court having considered the papers submitted; and the Court having heard the arguments of counsel, if any; and for good cause shown;

IT IS on this 1 day of January, 2023,

**ORDERED** as follows:

- 1. The Court GRANTS Defendant's Motion to Dismiss For Failure to Provide A Plaintiff Fact Sheet;
  - 2. Plaintiff's Complaint is hereby dismissed without prejudice;
- 3. Pursuant to Section E of Case Management Order No. 3, Plaintiff shall have thirty (30) days from the date of this Order to serve upon Defendant a PFS that is substantially complete in all respects and move before this Court for reinstatement of the Complaint and payment of the appropriate fee;
  - 4. Any refiling of this action must occur in New Jersey Superior Court;
- 5. In the event of Plaintiff's failure to comply with paragraph 3, this dismissal without prejudice will be converted to a dismissal with prejudice upon Defendant's motion;
- 6. Service of this Order shall be deemed effectuated upon all parties upon its upload to e-Courts.

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

Unopposed