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JAMES AMERSON, et al

VS

MERCK SHARP & DOHME CORP., et al.

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY LAW DIVISION: MIDDLESEX COUNTY

Docket No. MID-L-4169-20

ORDER WITHDRAWING THE PRO HAC VICE ADMISSION OF JULIANNA COPPAGE, ESQUIRE

THIS MATTER brought before the Court by Defendants, Merck & Co., Inc. and Merck Sharp & Dohme Corp. ("Merck"), by and through its attorneys Fox Rothschild LLP, upon notice to all interest parties, seeking an Order withdrawing the *pro hac vice* admission of Julianna Coppage, Esquire and the Court having considered the moving papers, and for good cause having been shown;

IT IS on this 16th day of September, 2025,

ORDERED that the motion is **GRANTED**, and the *pro hac vice* admission of Julianna Coppage, Esquire, is hereby withdrawn with an effective date of as of the date of this Order; and it is further

ORDERED counsel for Merck shall forward a copy of this Order to the Treasurer of the New Jersey Fund for Client Protection; and it is further

ORDERED that service of this Order shall be deemed effectuated upon all parties upon its upload to eCourts. Pursuant to Rule 1:5-1(a), movant shall serve a copy of this Order on all parties not served electronically within seven (7) days of the date of this Order.

Honorable Bruce J. Kaplan P.J.Cv.

Having reviewed the within motion, this Court finds it to be meritorious on its face and is unopposed. Pursuant to \underline{R} . 1:6-2, it therefore will be granted essentially for the reasons set forth in the moving papers.