

# NOTICE TO THE BAR

## **CIVIL CASE INFORMATION STATEMENT (CIVIL CIS) –** **REVISIONS TO SIDE 2 (EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2016)**

The Civil Case Information Statement ("Civil CIS") is included in the Rules of Court as Appendix XII-B1. The Supreme Court has previously delegated to the Administrative Director the authority to approve revisions to Side 2 of the Civil CIS. Accordingly, this notice promulgates the following revisions to Side 2 of the Civil CIS, effective October 1, 2016:

- The removal of case type 278 for litigation involving the drugs Zometa and Aredia pursuant to the Supreme Court's April 12, 2016 Order;
- The removal of case type 279 for litigation involving Gadolinium based diagnostic agents pursuant to the Supreme Court's April 12, 2016 Order; and
- The removal of case type 288 for litigation involving allegations of commercial bribery and other torts against Prudential Life Insurance Company of America pursuant to the Supreme Court's April 12, 2016 Order.



The complete Civil CIS as revised effective October 1, 2016 is attached.

Any questions concerning these changes may be directed to Assistant Director Kevin M. Wolfe, Civil Practice Division, by email [kevin.wolfe@njcourt.gov](mailto:kevin.wolfe@njcourt.gov) or by phone at 609-292-8470.

  
Glenn A. Grant, J.A.D.  
Acting Administrative Director of the Courts

Dated: August 29, 2016

**Appendix XII-B1**

	<b>CIVIL CASE INFORMATION STATEMENT (CIS)</b>		<b>FOR USE BY CLERK'S OFFICE ONLY</b>		
	<p>Use for initial Law Division Civil Part pleadings (not motions) under <i>Rule 4:5-1</i> <b>Pleading will be rejected for filing, under <i>Rule 1:5-6(c)</i>, if information above the black bar is not completed or attorney's signature is not affixed</b></p>		PAYMENT TYPE: <input type="checkbox"/> CK <input type="checkbox"/> CG <input type="checkbox"/> CA		
			CHG/CK NO.		
			AMOUNT:		
			OVERPAYMENT:		
				BATCH NUMBER:	
ATTORNEY / PRO SE NAME		TELEPHONE NUMBER		COUNTY OF VENUE	
FIRM NAME (if applicable)				DOCKET NUMBER (when available)	
OFFICE ADDRESS				DOCUMENT TYPE	
				JURY DEMAND <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
NAME OF PARTY (e.g., John Doe, Plaintiff)		CAPTION			
CASE TYPE NUMBER (See reverse side for listing)	HURRICANE SANDY RELATED? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	IS THIS A PROFESSIONAL MALPRACTICE CASE? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO IF YOU HAVE CHECKED "YES," SEE N.J.S.A. 2A:53 A -27 AND APPLICABLE CASE LAW REGARDING YOUR OBLIGATION TO FILE AN AFFIDAVIT OF MERIT.			
RELATED CASES PENDING? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		IF YES, LIST DOCKET NUMBERS			
DO YOU ANTICIPATE ADDING ANY PARTIES (arising out of same transaction or occurrence)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		NAME OF DEFENDANT'S PRIMARY INSURANCE COMPANY (if known) <div style="text-align: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> NONE <input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN</div>			
<b>THE INFORMATION PROVIDED ON THIS FORM CANNOT BE INTRODUCED INTO EVIDENCE.</b>					
CASE CHARACTERISTICS FOR PURPOSES OF DETERMINING IF CASE IS APPROPRIATE FOR MEDIATION					
DO PARTIES HAVE A CURRENT, PAST OR RECURRENT RELATIONSHIP? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		IF YES, IS THAT RELATIONSHIP: <input type="checkbox"/> EMPLOYER/EMPLOYEE <input type="checkbox"/> FRIEND/NEIGHBOR <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (explain) <input type="checkbox"/> FAMILIAL <input type="checkbox"/> BUSINESS			
DOES THE STATUTE GOVERNING THIS CASE PROVIDE FOR PAYMENT OF FEES BY THE LOSING PARTY? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No					
USE THIS SPACE TO ALERT THE COURT TO ANY SPECIAL CASE CHARACTERISTICS THAT MAY WARRANT INDIVIDUAL MANAGEMENT OR ACCELERATED DISPOSITION					
 DO YOU OR YOUR CLIENT NEED ANY DISABILITY ACCOMMODATIONS? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		IF YES, PLEASE IDENTIFY THE REQUESTED ACCOMMODATION			
WILL AN INTERPRETER BE NEEDED? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		IF YES, FOR WHAT LANGUAGE?			
<b>I certify that confidential personal identifiers have been redacted from documents now submitted to the court, and will be redacted from all documents submitted in the future in accordance with <i>Rule 1:38-7(b)</i>.</b>					
ATTORNEY SIGNATURE:					





# CIVIL CASE INFORMATION STATEMENT (CIS)

Use for initial pleadings (not motions) under *Rule 4:5-1*

## CASE TYPES (Choose one and enter number of case type in appropriate space on the reverse side.)

### Track I - 150 days' discovery

- 151 NAME CHANGE
- 175 FORFEITURE
- 302 TENANCY
- 399 REAL PROPERTY (other than Tenancy, Contract, Condemnation, Complex Commercial or Construction)
- 502 BOOK ACCOUNT (debt collection matters only)
- 505 OTHER INSURANCE CLAIM (including declaratory judgment actions)
- 506 PIP COVERAGE
- 510 UM or UIM CLAIM (coverage issues only)
- 511 ACTION ON NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENT
- 512 LEMON LAW
- 801 SUMMARY ACTION
- 802 OPEN PUBLIC RECORDS ACT (summary action)
- 999 OTHER (briefly describe nature of action)

### Track II - 300 days' discovery

- 305 CONSTRUCTION
- 509 EMPLOYMENT (other than CEPA or LAD)
- 599 CONTRACT/COMMERCIAL TRANSACTION
- 603N AUTO NEGLIGENCE - PERSONAL INJURY (non-verbal threshold)
- 603Y AUTO NEGLIGENCE - PERSONAL INJURY (verbal threshold)
- 605 PERSONAL INJURY
- 610 AUTO NEGLIGENCE - PROPERTY DAMAGE
- 621 UM or UIM CLAIM (includes bodily injury)
- 699 TORT - OTHER

### Track III - 450 days' discovery

- 005 CIVIL RIGHTS
- 301 CONDEMNATION
- 602 ASSAULT AND BATTERY
- 604 MEDICAL MALPRACTICE
- 606 PRODUCT LIABILITY
- 607 PROFESSIONAL MALPRACTICE
- 608 TOXIC TORT
- 609 DEFAMATION
- 616 WHISTLEBLOWER / CONSCIENTIOUS EMPLOYEE PROTECTION ACT (CEPA) CASES
- 617 INVERSE CONDEMNATION
- 618 LAW AGAINST DISCRIMINATION (LAD) CASES

### Track IV - Active Case Management by Individual Judge / 450 days' discovery

- 156 ENVIRONMENTAL/ENVIRONMENTAL COVERAGE LITIGATION
- 303 MT. LAUREL
- 508 COMPLEX COMMERCIAL
- 513 COMPLEX CONSTRUCTION
- 514 INSURANCE FRAUD
- 620 FALSE CLAIMS ACT
- 701 ACTIONS IN LIEU OF PREROGATIVE WRITS

### Multicounty Litigation (Track IV)

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| 271 ACCUTANE/ISOTRETINOLIN                 | 292 PELVIC MESH/BARD                                      |
| 274 RISPERDAL/SEROQUEL/ZYPREXA             | 293 DEPUY ASR HIP IMPLANT LITIGATION                      |
| 281 BRISTOL-MYERS SQUIBB ENVIRONMENTAL     | 295 ALLODERM REGENERATIVE TISSUE MATRIX                   |
| 282 FOSAMAX                                | 296 STRYKER REJUVENATE/ABG II MODULAR HIP STEM COMPONENTS |
| 285 STRYKER TRIDENT HIP IMPLANTS           | 297 MIRENA CONTRACEPTIVE DEVICE                           |
| 286 LEVAQUIN                               | 299 OLMESARTAN MEDOXOMIL MEDICATIONS/BENICAR              |
| 287 YAZ/YASMIN/OCELLA                      | 300 TALC-BASED BODY POWDERS                               |
| 289 REGLAN                                 | 601 ASBESTOS  |
| 290 POMPTON LAKES ENVIRONMENTAL LITIGATION | 623 PROPECIA  |
| 291 PELVIC MESH/GYNECARE                   |   |

If you believe this case requires a track other than that provided above, please indicate the reason on Side 1, in the space under "Case Characteristics."

Please check off each applicable category ☐ Putative Class Action ☐ Title 59