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DOROTHY COLE and	:	
JAMES B. COLE	:	SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
	:	LAW DIVISION
Plaintiffs,	:	MIDDLESEX COUNTY
	:	
V.	:	
MERCK SHARP & DOHME CORP.	:	MID-L-010951-14
f/k/a MERCK & CO., INC., JANE DOE	:	CASE CODE: 282
DISTRIBUTORS (1-5), JILL DOE	:	
MANUFACTURERS (1-5), JACK DOE	:	ORDER GRANTING LEAVE TO
WHOLESALEERS (1-5), JAKE DOE	:	WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL
SELLERS (1-5), JOHN DOE	:	
MARKETERS (1-5) and JOAN DOE	:	
FORMULATORS (1-5),	:	
Defendants,	:	

THIS MATTER having been brought before the Court by Peter Samberg, of the law firm Weitz & Luxenberg, P.C., on a Motion for an Order granting Weitz & Luxenberg leave to withdraw as counsel to Plaintiffs, Dorothy Cole and James B. Cole, and to stay discovery in this case; and the Court having read the moving papers and the opposition thereto, if any; and having considered the arguments of counsel; and for good cause shown;

IT IS ON THIS 1st day of September, 2017.

ORDERED that pursuant to R. 1:1 1-2, Weitz & Luxenberg, P.C. be and hereby is granted leave to withdraw as counsel to Plaintiffs, Dorothy Cole and James B. Cole; and it is further

ORDERED that Weitz & Luxenberg, P.C. be and hereby is relieved of any and all further responsibility and obligation as attorneys for Plaintiffs, Dorothy Cole and James B. Cole in the prosecution of this matter; and it is further

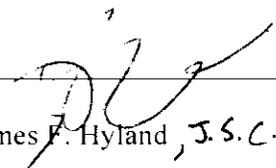
ORDERED that all further notices of counsel and the Court shall be directed to plaintiff, Dorothy Cole and served upon them at their last known residential address; and plaintiffs shall be deemed to be appearing *pro se* in the matter until such time as a substitution of attorney, if any, may be filed; and it is further

ORDERED that the discovery is stayed for sixty days from the date of this order; and it is further

ORDERED that plaintiffs must provide an appearance by new counsel within sixty days of the date of this order or plaintiffs' case will be dismissed with prejudice; and it is further

ORDERED that a copy of this Order be served upon counsel for all parties and upon plaintiffs *pro se* within 10 days of the date of entry hereof

Motion opposed
 unopposed



Hon. James F. Hyland, J.S.C.

On this date, pursuant to R. 1:6-2
The court's statement of reasons
have been set forth on the record.