
**IN RE: PELVIC MESH/GYNECARE
LITIGATION**

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY

LAW DIVISION: BERGEN COUNTY

CASE NO. 291

MASTER DOCKET NO.: BER-L-11575-14

CIVIL ACTION

CASE

MANAGEMENT ORDER #51

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JAN 31 2019

RACHELLE L. HARZ
U.S.C.

All prior orders remain in full force and effect except as modified by this Order.

THIS MATTER having been reassigned to the Bergen County Vicinage, from Atlantic County, pursuant to the Supreme Court's Order of December 12, 2018; the Court having conducted a Case Management Conference; counsel appearing; for good cause shown and for the reasons set forth on the record;

IT IS on this 31st day of January, 2019, **ORDERED** as follows:

I. ORDERS ENTERED SINCE LAST CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE

A. Case Management Order #50, entered on December 12, 2018

II. COMPLIANCE WITH PRIOR ORDERS

A. Case Management Order #50 entered on December 12, 2018.

III. CASE MANAGEMENT

A. Next trial

a. The Prolift cases remain set for a June 3, 2019 trial date:

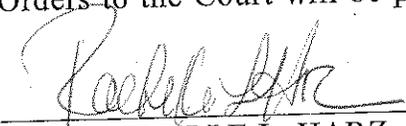
1. Hansen, Sandra L. Darrah Pierce, (BER-L-010623-14), Mazie Slater
2. McKnight, Stacie J. Miller, (BER-L-010227-14), Bernstein Liebhard, Law Offices of Jan Meyer & Associates
3. Tays, Carolyn Atkinson, (BER-L-011577-14), Bernstein Liebhard

4. Susong, Nancy Justice (BER-L-000793-15), Bernstein Liebhard, Law Offices of Jan Meyer & Associates
- b. The backup case the Court has selected for the Prolift trial remains:
1. Collins, Mary Ann Williamson (BER-L-011675-14), Bernstein Liebhard, Law Offices of Jan Meyer & Associates
- B. October 2019 trial
- a. The TVT-O plaintiff trial pool remains scheduled for October 15, 2019, and includes:
1. Reyes, Yvette Castruita Ramirez (BER-L-012431-14), Bernstein Liebhard; Law Offices of Jan Meyer & Associates
 2. Burgess, Laray & James, (BER-L-006902-15), Kline & Specter
 3. Detrick, Teri, (BER-L007144015), Law Offices of Jan Meyer and Bernstein Liebhard; and
 4. Farnsworth, Cheri Lynn & Leland, (BER-L-014433-14), Hecht Kleeger and Oshman & Mirasola.
- C. Compliance with Pretrial Order.
- a. The TVT-O pretrial Order filed on January 7, 2019, shall be adhered to and the newly added plaintiffs are to supplement their PFS and update medical records and authorizations by February 15, 2019.

IV. GENERAL

1. The next Case Management Conference will be Wednesday March 13, 2019. Liaison counsel will meet at 9:30 am, and the court will go on the record at 10:30 am. **Counsel shall submit a proposed agenda seven (7) days prior to this Case Management Conference.**
2. By consent of all parties, the court may contact or be contacted on an *ex parte* basis regarding settlement issues only.
3. The court may, from time to time, conduct phone conferences with defense counsel and liaison counsel.

4. Subject to agreement by and between counsel and with permission from the Court, counsel is permitted to appear telephonically; in order to have your appearance on the record, it is counsel's responsibility to e-mail liaison counsel and the court reporter at least one hour before the proceeding with your name, firm, and party representing, indicating that you intend to appear by phone; in addition, you must confirm your appearance, immediately following the proceeding. Absent the above, counsel's appearance will not be noted.
5. The official record shall be the transcript provided by the court reporter retained by counsel. The reporter shall preserve all proceedings and shall email a transcript of any court proceeding to the court within 14 days of the proceeding.
6. Counsel is permitted to serve one motion with a schedule of attached cases for *pro hac* admission. However, a separate order per case/docket number and filing fees is required.
7. The Court directs all counsel to R.4-8 and expects all counsel to abide by the parameters set forth therein.
8. All Court proceedings will start at the designated scheduled time. Counsel is expected to arrive promptly for these proceedings.
9. Counsel shall provide the Court with their preferred e-mail address by e-mailing same to Jamie Colaneri at Jamie.Colaneri@njcourts.gov and Sean Hanratty at Sean.Hanratty@njcourts.gov.
10. Counsel shall copy their co-counsel and all adversaries on all e-mails and other electronic correspondence submitted to the Court [COUNSEL IS PROHIBITED FROM FILING ANY PLEADING ELECTRONICALLY]. Any such submission received after 4:30 p.m. will be deemed received at 9:00 a.m. on the next day Court is in session. Any such submission received after 4:30 p.m. on a Friday or over a weekend, will be deemed received on 9:00 a.m. on the next day Court is in session.
11. Counsel is directed to contact The Superior Court of New Jersey, Attorneys Accounts: P.O. Box 980, Hughes Justice Complex, 25 W. Market Street, Trenton, New Jersey 08625 (609) 633-8643 to establish a collateral account for any filing fees within seven (7) days.
12. Counsel is required to check the Judiciary's Web Site dedicated to this matter for any decisions/Orders/information contained therein.
13. A copy of this Order and any subsequent Orders to the Court will be posted on the Judiciary Web Site.



RACHELLE L. HARZ, J.S.C.