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HON. BRUCE J. KAPLAN, J.S.C.

MELBA N. MADDERRA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

MERCK, SHARP & DOHME, CORP.,

Defendant.

**SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
LAW DIVISION**

MIDDLESEX COUNTY

CIVIL ACTION

FOSAMAX LITIGATION

Docket No.: MID-L-7521-14

ORDER

THIS MATTER having been opened to the Court upon the motion of Seeger Weiss LLP, counsel for Plaintiff, upon notice to all interested parties, have moved before this Court for the substitution of plaintiff, and the Court having read and considered the papers submitted in this matter, and for good cause shown;

IT IS on this 16th day of December, 2022;

ORDERED that the motion is **GRANTED**, and that the metadata and the caption in this matter shall reflect that Plaintiff is RUSSELL A. MADDERRA, as Personal Representative of The Estate of MELBA N. MADDERRA, deceased; and it is further

ORDERED that Plaintiff shall file and serve an Amended Complaint within fourteen (14) days of the date of this Order; it is further

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

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HONORABLE BRUCE J. KAPLAN, J.S.C.

UNOPPOSED

Having reviewed the within Motion, the Court finds it to be meritorious on its face, in compliance with R. 4:34-1, and unopposed. It therefore will be granted essentially for the reasons set forth in the moving papers in accordance with R. 1:6-2.