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BELLE HECHT,

Plaintiff,

vs.

MERCK SHARP & DOHME CORP.
f/k/a **MERCK & CO., INC.**; JANE
DOE DISTRIBUTORS (1-5); JILL DOE
MANUFACTURERS (1-5); JACK DOE
WHOLESALEERS (1-5); JAKE DOE
SELLERS (1-5); JOHN DOE
MARKETERS (1-5) and JOAN DOE
FORMULATORS (1-5),

Defendants.

**SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
LAW DIVISION: MIDDLESEX COUNTY**

CASE NO. MID-L-006693-14

**ORDER DENYING DEFENDANT'S
MOTION TO DISMISS**

THIS MATTER having been brought before the Court by Defendant Merck Sharp & Dohme Corp., on a Motion pursuant to R. 4:23-2 for an Order dismissing Plaintiff Belle Hecht's Complaint without Prejudice; and the Court having read the moving papers; and for good cause shown,

IT IS, on this 21st day of June, 2019,


ORDERED, that Defendant's Motion to Dismiss Plaintiff's Complaint without Prejudice shall be, and is hereby, **DENIED**; and it is further

ORDERED, that counsel for Plaintiff is granted 90 days leave to locate and make contact with the Plaintiff, and to apprise Defendant when counsel has done so; and it is further

ORDERED, that should counsel for Plaintiff fail to inform Defendant within 90

days of this Order that contact has been made with Plaintiff or her next-of-kin, Defendant is granted leave to refile the present Motion.

Date: 6/7/19



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.**