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ESTELLE R. CLARK,

Plaintiff,

VS.

MERCK, SHARP & DOHME, CORP.,

Defendant.

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

## SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY LAW DIVISION

MIDDLESEX COUNTY

Docket No.: MID-L-007071-14

ORDER

**THIS MATTER** having been brought before the Court by and through D'Arcy Johnson Day, P.C., attorneys for Plaintiff, for a Motion to File an Amended Complaint to substitute Plaintiff, Everett John Walker, as Personal Representative of the Estate of Estelle R. Clark, deceased, v. Merck Sharp & Dohme Corp., et al., as Plaintiff in this matter, and the Court having read and considered the papers submitted in this matter, and for good cause having been shown;

IT IS on this 3rd day of February, 2023;

**ORDERED** that the Motion is **GRANTED**, and that the metadata and the caption in this matter shall reflect that Plaintiff is Everett John Walker, as Personal Representative of the Estate of Estelle R. Clark, deceased, v. Merck Sharp & Dohme Corp., et al.; and it is further

**ORDERED** that Plaintiff shall file and serve an Amended Complaint within ten (10) days of the date of this Order; and it is further

**ORDERED** that service of this Order shall be deemed effectuated upon all parties upon its upload to eCourts. Pursuant to <u>R</u>. 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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## UNOPPOSED

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