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LITIGATION

: SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
: LAW DIVISION – BERGEN COUNTY
: MASTER DOCKET NO.: BER-L-17717-14
: CASE NO. 292 CT

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: Civil Action
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: **CONSENT ORDER TERMINATING**
: **BARD QUALIFIED**
: **SETTLEMENT FUND**
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THIS MATTER having been presented to the Court by Mazie Slater Katz & Freeman, LLC, attorneys for Plaintiffs, on notice to and with the consent of Defendant C.R. Bard, Inc., and on notice to the QSF Administrator Epiq Global, Inc., requesting the entry of an Order terminating the Bard Qualified Settlement Fund, and for good cause shown;

IT IS ON THIS 17TH day of September, 2024,

ORDERED that the Mazie Slater Katz and Freeman Bard Qualified Settlement Fund established by Order filed 11/6/20 is hereby directed to be expeditiously terminated by the QSF Administrator, Epiq Global, Inc., within 10 days of the entry of this Order, and the QSF Administrator is directed to perform all work necessary to finalize the proper termination of the QSF in accordance with the governing law, including but not limited to providing a final accounting to Mazie Slater of the funds paid into and out of the QSF, and ensuring the finalization of any tax returns and the filing thereof, such that written

confirmation can be provided to Mazie Slater as to the finalization and termination of the QSF, within 15 days hereof; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that the QSF Administrator shall not cause, charge or request any further fees and expenses or amounts from Mazie Slater or any plaintiff whose settlement was administered through the QSF; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that any interest remaining in the QSF following the finalization and termination of the QSF as aforesaid shall be paid by the QSF Administrator Epiq Global, Inc., to Mazie Slater Katz & Freeman, within 10 days hereof, along with a pro rata breakdown of the distributions to be made to each plaintiff whose settlement was administered through the QSF; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that a true copy of this Order shall be served upon C.R. Bard, Inc., and Epiq Global, Inc., within seven (7) days of the date hereof.



HONORABLE GREGG A. PADOVANO, J.S.C.

CONSENTED TO AS TO FORM AND ENTRY:

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