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LEESA CAREL and JEFFREY CAREL,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

C. R. BARD, INC., BARD MEDICAL DIVISION, a Division of C.R. Bard, Inc., BARD UROLOGICAL DIVISION, a Division of Bard Medical Division, and JOHN DOES 1-20,

Defendants.

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SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY LAW DIVISION, BERGEN COUNTY DOCKET NO. BER-L-18604-14 MCL

> CIVIL ACTION CASE NO. 292

MASTER CASE NO. L-17717-14

Hon. Gregg A. Padovano, J.S.C.

ORDER

WHEREAS, on July 24, 2020, this Court filed an Order to discharge Mazie Slater Katz &

Freeman, LLC as counsel for Plaintiffs,

WHEREAS, out of state Plaintiffs have proceeded pro se since July 24, 2020,

Moncul, 2025, ORDERED as follows: IT IS on this day of

ORDERED that Plaintiff is required to either retain new counsel or inform the Court that

they intend to proceed pro se.

- a. In the event that Plaintiffs retain new counsel, new counsel shall make an appearance in this case within thirty (30) days of this Order or Plaintiffs will be deemed to be pro
 - se;
- b. In the event that Plaintiffs elect to proceed pro se, they shall notify the Court and the

parties in writing and on the record of their intention to do so within thirty (30) days of this Order; and it is

ORDERED that failure to comply with this Order may lead to dismissal of Plaintiffs' claims with prejudice; and it is

ORDERED that Defendant shall serve a copy of this Order upon Plaintiffs via overnight mail at Plaintiffs' last known address (1324 North West 192nd Terrace, Edmond, Oklahoma 73012) within 10 days of the date of this order.

Hon. Gregg A. Padovano, J.S.C.