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GREGG A. PADOVANO, J.S.C.

KRISTIN BOOK,

Plaintiff,

vs.

ETHICON, INC., ETHICON WOMEN'S
HEALTH AND UROLOGY, a Division of
ETHICON, INC., GYNECARE, JOHNSON &
JOHNSON, and JOHN DOES 1-20,

Defendants.

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
LAW DIVISION – BERGEN COUNTY
DOCKET NO.: BER-L-012336-14

MASTER DOCKET NO. BER-L-11575-14

CIVIL ACTION

In Re Pelvic Mesh/Gynecare Litigation
Case No. 291

**CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER TO EXTEND
CURRENT DEADLINES**

THIS MATTER, having been opened to the Court by Plaintiffs, through their Counsel Cohen, Placitella & Roth, and Defendants, through their counsel Riker Danzig LLP, seeking an Order extending current discovery deadlines, by consent of all parties, and for good cause shown;

IT IS ON THIS 26TH day of August, 2024;

ORDERED that the deadlines in this matter shall be extended as follows:

A. Expert Discovery and Pretrial Motions

- (i) Except as set out below, the deadlines set out in CMO 109 govern this case.
- (ii) Defense case specific pathology expert reports shall be served by September 4, 2024.

- (iii) The parties shall make best efforts to complete plaintiff pathology expert depositions by October 4, 2024, and defense pathology expert depositions by November 4, 2024. Defense pathology expert depositions will not be conducted until after completion of plaintiff pathology expert depositions.
- (iv) Expert discovery shall be completed by November 4, 2024.
- (v) Pretrial motions other than in limine (dispositive, Kemp/ Accutane) shall be served by November 18, 2024.
- (vi) Oppositions to pretrial motions shall be filed and served by December 18, 2024.
- (vii) Only when necessary, on leave of Court, limited replies shall be filed and served by December 30, 2024.



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

CONSENTED TO AS TO FORM AND ENTRY:

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Dated: July 29, 2024

¹ Pursuant to the New Jersey Supreme Court Omnibus Order on Covid-19 issues entered on March 27, 2020, " The provisions of Rule 1:32-2A(c) and all other Court Rules requiring original signatures on filings are relaxed and supplemented so as to permit electronic signatures to be used in all filing processes temporarily authorized to be used during the COVID-19 crisis, including, but not limited to emergent applications submitted by email and hardcopy submissions in dockets without an approved electronic filing system... "