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**RACHELLE L. HARZ
J.S.C.**

Prepared by the court

BLANCA COLAJAI

Plaintiff,

v.

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-00023-21

MASTER DOCKET NO.

BER-L-011575-14

CIVIL ACTION

In re Pelvic Mesh/Gynecare Litigation

Case No. 291

AMENDED

ORDER

THIS MATTER having come before the court on Motion of Defendants Ethicon, Inc. and Johnson & Johnson ("Defendants") for an Order dismissing Plaintiff's Complaint with prejudice; and the Court having read and considered all submissions in connection with the Motion, and for reasons set forth on the record and good cause appearing;


IT IS ON this 3rd day of May, 2022,

ORDERED that Plaintiff's Complaint is hereby dismissed with prejudice against Defendants Ethicon Inc., Ethicon Women's Health and Urology, a Division of Ethicon, Inc., Gynecare, and Johnson & Johnson; and it is further

ORDERED that this case remains open as against John Does 1-20. Plaintiff may retain new counsel within 60 days of the date of this order and pursue this litigation as against John Does 1-

20 defined in the Short Form Complaint as “persons, individuals, and/or entities who are liable and/or responsible for Plaintiff’s damages...”.

A copy of this order has been uploaded to the MCL website. Plaintiff’s prior counsel, Karen Beya-Schroeder, Esq., shall send a copy of this order to Blanca Colajai by both regular and certified mail within 5 days of the date of this order.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Rachelle L. Harz", is written over a solid horizontal line.

HONORABLE RACHELLE L. HARZ, J.S.C.