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**IN RE: PELVIC MESH/GYNECARE
LITIGATION**

LAW DIVISION: BERGEN COUNTY

CASE NO. 291
MASTER DOCKET NO.: BER-1-11575-14

CIVIL ACTION

**JANUARY 2020 TVT CASE DISCOVERY POOL INITIAL SCHEDULING
ORDER**

THIS MATTER having been brought before the Court jointly by Defendants Ethicon, Inc. and Johnson & Johnson (“Defendants”), through their counsel Riker Danzig Scherer Hyland & Perretti, LLP, and Plaintiffs, through Plaintiffs’ liaison counsel, and for good cause shown;

IT IS on this 16th day of January, 2020, ORDERED that the following pre-trial deadlines are hereby set for a discovery pool involving single product TVT (Retropubic) cases:

- I. Cases – It is the Court’s intention to create a discovery pool for work up for a trial setting single-product cases involving the TVT Retropubic product with at least one revision surgery. The Court has utilized a computer program to randomly selected the following thirty cases:

1	Grant, Irene J. & Russell E.	Hutton & Hutton	BER-L-012430-14
2	Nelson, Ruth & Richard A.	Lieff Cabraser Heimann & Bernstein	BER-L-009278-18
3	Aboughazale, Jean	Kline & Specter	BER-L-004642-18

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4	Brown, Rhonda & Mark	Oshman & Mirisola	BER-L-011572-14
5	Fry, Phoebe & William	Oshman & Mirisola	BER-L-011517-14
6	Phillips, Helen D. & Philip J.	Weitz & Luxenberg	BER-L-011522-14
7	Jones, Pamela	Kline & Specter	BER-L-004650-18
8	Bachmann-Hoff, Irene O. & Frederick D. Hoff	Kline & Specter	BER-L-000192-16
9	Delcambre, Julie	Schroeder Law Office	BER-L-002814-19
10	Barbieri, Eileen	Kline & Specter	BER-L-015865-14
11	Steadman, Teresa & Jimmy	Oshman & Mirisola	BER-L-011516-14
12	Nemcek, Madeline & Richard	Oshman & Mirisola	BER-L-012359-14
13	Thomas, Tracy	Schroeder Law Office	BER-L-008977-18
14	Beasley, Cathy & Timothy Blake	Kline & Specter	BER-L-004644-18
15	James-Mitulinski, Zelda	Schroeder Law Office	BER-L-000777-19
16	Goerdts, Robyn & Christopher	Kline & Specter	BER-L-015888-14
17	Mohr, June	Girardi Keese; Seeger Weiss	BER-L-012791-14
18	Cragan, Janet S. & Lester H., III	Kline & Specter	BER-L-005206-18
19	Spears, Phyllis Carol & Joseph	Kline & Specter	BER-L-004542-16
20	Sturgeon, Rochelle	Girardi Keese; Seeger Weiss	BER-L-012973-14
21	Cappelli, Ellen	Schroeder Law Office	BER-L-000769-19
22	Reynolds, Marilyn & Walter, Jr.	Oshman & Mirisola	BER-L-014620-14
23	Simon, Melinda	Schroeder Law Office	BER-L-004035-19
24	Viers, Cindy	Kline & Specter	BER-L-016313-14
25	Dierdorff, Tracy Yvette & Jeffrey L.	Hecht Kleeger; Oshman & Mirisola	BER-L-012441-14
26	Bozyone, Linda & Michael	Weitz & Luxenberg	BER-L-

			011544-14
27	Savory, Linda	Schroeder Law Office	BER-L-000744-19
28	Ailstock, Tameria	Kline & Specter	BER-L-005676-18
29	Barker, Vivian & Kevin	Kline & Specter	BER-L-005204-18
30	Romano, Judy A. & Frank	Cohen, Placitella & Roth; Flint & Associates	BER-L-014034-14

II. By close of business on **January 21, 2020**, Plaintiffs in the above-captioned matters are to provide updated and fully-complete Plaintiff Fact Sheet (“PFS”). This includes the identification of all treating physicians and updated authorizations, and all medical records in Plaintiffs’ possession.

III. The Court will hold a case management conference on January 23, 2020, at 1:30 pm for liaison and 3:00 pm on the record, at which it is the Court’s intention to accomplish the following regarding the above pool of cases.

1. Identify and eliminate any case that is not viable for discovery work up, whether it be because it has become the subject of an inventory resolution agreement, or because it does not meet the Court’s intended criteria, or other reason to be discussed at the case management conference.
2. Identify the scope of the remaining viable cases and which cases will proceed to discovery; and
3. Enter a pretrial scheduling order, including selecting the necessary pre-trial dates for the anticipated trial setting relating to these cases.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this Order shall be served upon all counsel via LNFS within seven (7) days of the date of this Order.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Rachelle L. Harz", written in black ink. The signature is positioned above a horizontal line.

Hon. Rachelle L. Harz, J.S.C.