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RACHELLE L. HARZ
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JOLEEN WELKER,

Plaintiff,

v.

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

Defendant(s).

: SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
: LAW DIVISION - BERGEN COUNTY

: DOCKET NO. BER-L-8055-16

CIVIL ACTION

[PROPOSED] ORDER ADMITTING
VANESSA H. GROSS, ESQ.
PRO HAC VICE

WHEREAS, Rayna E. Kessler, Esq., counsel for the Plaintiff Joleen Welker, in the above-captioned action, upon notice to all interested parties, have moved before this Court for the admission *pro hac vice* of Vanessa H. Gross, Esq.; the Court having considered the papers in support thereof; and the Court having found that, Vanessa H. Gross, Esq. is a member in good standing for the bar of the highest Court in Missouri, the state where she principally practices law; and further good cause shown,

IT IS on this 30^m day of NOVEMBER, 2021, hereby

ORDERED that the Motion is granted and Vanessa H. Gross, Esq. is admitted to practice *pro hac vice* before this Court, pursuant to Rule 1:21-2, for all purposes and in the same manner

as an attorney who is admitted to practice in this State and is domiciled and maintains an office for the practice of law in the State of New Jersey, provided that:

1. Vanessa H. Gross, Esq. shall abide by the Rules of Court for the State of New Jersey, including all disciplinary rules;
2. Vanessa H. Gross, Esq. shall consent to the appointment of the Clerk of the Supreme Court as an agent upon whom service of process may be made for all actions against her or her firm that may arise out of her participation in this matter;
3. Vanessa H. Gross, Esq. shall notify the Court immediately of any matter affecting her standing before this Court;
4. Vanessa H. Gross, Esq. shall have all pleadings, briefs and other papers filed with the Court in this action signed by an attorney of record authorized to practice in this State, specifically the New York, New York office of Robins Kaplan, LLP, who shall be responsible for them and for the conduct of the cause and of the admitted attorney herein;
5. Vanessa H. Gross, Esq. must pay the fees required by Rule 1:20-1(b) and Rule 1:28-2 and submit affidavits of compliance;
6. Automatic termination of *pro hac vice* admission will occur for failure to make the required annual payments to the Ethics Financial Committee and the New Jersey Lawyer's Fund for Client Protection. Proof of such payment, after filing proof of the initial payment, shall be made no later than February 1st, of each year;
7. Non-compliance with any of these requirements shall constitute grounds for removal; and,
8. That a copy of this Order shall be served on all parties within seven (7) days.



The Honorable Rachelle L. Harz, J.S.C.

Opposed
 Unopposed