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MCL CASE NO. 630
MASTER DOCKET NO: ATL-L-794-19

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
LAW DIVISION: ATLANTIC COUNTY

DOCKET NO. ATL-L-1083-19 MCL

IN RE PROCEED MESH LITIGATION :
(Proceed® Surgical Mesh and Proceed® Ventral :
Patch Hernia Mesh) :
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JONATHAN PAYNE, :
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Plaintiff, :
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v. :
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JOHNSON & JOHNSON and ETHICON, INC., :
: :
Defendants. :

Civil Action

**ORDER GRANTING
KASEY M. ADAMS, ESQ.,
ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE**

THIS MATTER having been brought before the Court by McCarter & English, LLP, attorneys for Defendants Johnson & Johnson and Ethicon, Inc. in the above captioned litigation, to permit Kasey M. Adams, Esquire, an attorney admitted to the practice of law in the State Court of Mississippi, the United States District Court for the Northern and Southern Districts of Mississippi, and the U.S. Court of Appeals, 5th Circuit; to participate *pro hac vice* with other

Counsel for Defendants in all phases of the case and trial, and it appearing that Kasey M. Adams, Esquire is a licensed attorney in good standing in the State of Mississippi, and it further appearing that Defendants have requested Kasey M. Adams, Esquire to represent them in this matter, and the within Order having been submitted under the 5 -Day Rule, and the Court having received no objections to the within Order and with good cause having been shown:

IT IS on this 10th day of January, 2022;

ORDERED that Kasey M. Adams, Esq., a member in good standing of the Bar of the Supreme Court of the State of Mississippi, the United States District Court for the Northern and Southern Districts of Mississippi, and the U.S. Court of Appeals, 5th Circuit; , be permitted to appear *pro hac vice* in the above-captioned matter.

FURTHER ORDERED that Kasey M. Adams, Esquire shall abide by the New Jersey Laws of Civil Procedure, including all disciplinary rules issued by the Supreme Court of New Jersey and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that by reason of her admission, Kasey M. Adams, Esquire consents to the appointment of the Clerk of the Supreme Court of New Jersey as her agent upon whom service of process may be made by all actions which may hereinafter be brought against her or her firm arising from their participation in this matter, and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that Kasey M. Adams , Esquire shall notify this Court immediately if any matter arises which affects her standing before the Bar of the State of Mississippi, or any other jurisdiction and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that all pleadings, briefs and other papers filed on behalf of Defendants Johnson & Johnson and Ethicon, Inc. shall also be signed by a member of the firm of

McCarter & English, LLP and that firm shall be responsible for such papers and the conduct of this case and the attorney admitted herein; and it is

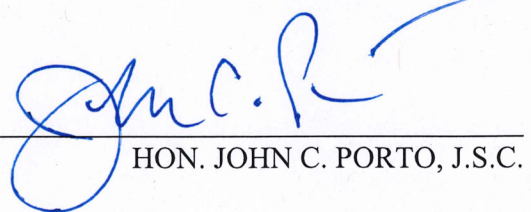
FURTHER ORDERED that Kasey M. Adams, Esquire pay the required annual fees to the New Jersey Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection in accordance with New Jersey Rule 1:28-2, the Oversight Committee in accordance with Rule 1:20-1 (b), and the Lawyers' Assistance Program in accordance with Rule 1:28B-1 (e) within ten 10 days of this Order and shall submit an affidavit of compliance; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that no delay or adjournment in discovery, motions, trial or any other proceeding shall be requested by reason of Kasey M. Adams, Esquire's inability to appear; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that automatic termination of *pro hac vice* admission shall occur for failure to make the required annual payment of the Annual Fee and the annual payment to the Lawyers' Assistance Fund and the New Jersey Lawyers' 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; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that non-compliance with any of these requirements shall constitute ground for removal; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that a signed copy of this Order be served upon all counsel within seven (7) days of the date hereof.


HON. JOHN C. PORTO, J.S.C.

Opposed
 Unopposed