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<b>IN RE PROTON-PUMP INHIBITOR LITIGATION</b>	SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY LAW DIVISION: ATLANTIC COUNTY CASE CODE: 631 MASTER CASE NO. ATL-L-1259-20  <b>CIVIL ACTION</b>  <b>ORDER GRANTING <i>PRO HAC VICE</i> ADMISSION OF SHERRY A. KNUTSON</b>
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This matter having been opened to the Court by Sills Cummis & Gross P.C., attorneys for Defendants Takeda Pharmaceuticals U.S.A., Inc., Takeda Pharmaceuticals America, Inc., Takeda Development Center Americas, Inc. and Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Limited (“Takeda Defendants”), for an Order permitting Sherry A. Knutson of the law firm of Venable LLP to be admitted *pro hac vice* for purposes of these matters pursuant to Rule 1:21-2, and the Court having considered the papers submitted in connection with the application; and the Court having determined that good cause exists, including that Sherry A. Knutson has a long-standing client relationship with the Takeda Defendants, is experienced with these matters, and was not involved in policy or management decisions that would require her to be called as a witness in this matters;

IT IS on this 7th day of August, 2020;

ORDERED that Sherry A. Knutson is permitted to appear and participate *pro hac vice* in these matters; and it is further

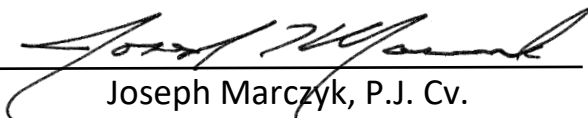
ORDERED that Sherry A. Knutson shall abide by the rules governing the Court of the State of New Jersey, including all disciplinary rules; and it is further

ORDERED that Sherry A. Knutson consents to the appointment of the Clerk of the Supreme Court as agent upon whom service of process may be made for all actions against her or his firm that may arise out of her participation in these matters; and it is further

ORDERED that Sherry A. Knutson shall notify the Court immediately of any matter affecting her standing at the Bar of any other Court; and it is further

ORDERED that all pleadings, briefs and other papers filed with the Court shall be signed by Beth S. Rose, Vincent Lodato or another member or associate of the firm of Sills Cummis & Gross P.C. who is a member in good standing of the Bar of this Court, who shall be held responsible for said papers and for the conduct of the case and who shall be present before the Court as well as responsible for the conduct of the attorney admitted *pro hac vice* pursuant to the terms of this Order; and it is further

ORDERED that Sherry A. Knutson shall pay the annual fees to the New Jersey Lawyers Fund for Client Protection and the New Jersey Lawyers Assistance Programs in accordance with Rule 1:28-2 and Rule 1:28B-1 within 15 days from the date of the entry of this Order.

  
Joseph Marczyk, P.J. Cv.

Having reviewed the above motion, I find it to be meritorious on its face and is unopposed. Pursuant to R. 1:6-2, it therefore will be granted essentially for the reasons set forth in the moving papers.