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David P. Stempkowski and Kathleen A. Stempkowski,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

HOWMEDICA OSTEONICS CORPORATION, a New Jersey Corporation, d/b/a STRYKER ORTHOPAEDICS,

Defendants.

FILED

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**BRIAN R. MARTINOTTI
J.S.C.**

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

**IN RE: STRYKER REJUVENATE HIP
STEMP and ABG II MODULAR HIP**

**MASTER DOCKET NO. BER-L-936-13
CASE NO. 296**

DOCKET NO. BER-L-1163-14-MCL

**ORDER ADMITTING JAN D. ATLAS, ESQ.
*PRO HAC VICE***

THIS MATTER having been opened to the Court by John E. Keefe, Esq. , of the law firm of Keefe Bartels, attorneys for plaintiffs David P. Stempkowski and Kathleen A. Stempkowski, to permit Jan D. Atlas, Esq. an attorney admitted to the practice of law in the State of Florida, to participate with other counsel for defendants in all phases of the trial, and it appearing that Jan D. Atlas, Esq. is a licensed attorney in good standing in the State of Florida, and it appearing that plaintiffs' Complaint raises products liability claims, and it appearing that the law practice of Jan D. Atlas, Esq. focuses on products liability cases, and it further appearing that plaintiffs have requested that Jan D. Atlas, Esq. represent them in this matter, and the Court having considered the respective Certification of John E. Keefe, Esq. and Jan D. Atlas, Esq. submitted in support of the Motion, and the parties having assented hereto, and for good cause having been shown:

IT IS on this 26 day of May, 2016

ORDERED that Jan D. Atlas, Esq. shall and hereby is admitted *pro hac vice* and is authorized to appear and participate with other counsel for plaintiffs in all phases of the trial, subject to the following conditions:

1. Jan D. Atlas, Esq. shall abide by the New Jersey Court Rules including all disciplinary rules, R. 1:20-1 and R. 1:28-2.

2. Jan D. Atlas, Esq. shall, and hereby does, consent to the appointment of the Clerk of the Supreme Court as his agent upon whom service of process may be made for all actions against him or Kopelowitz Ostrow that may arise out of his participation in this matter.

3. Jan D. Atlas, Esq., shall immediately notify the Court of any matter affecting his standing at the Bar of any other jurisdiction.

4. Jan D. Atlas, Esq. shall have all pleadings, briefs and other papers filed with the Court signed by an attorney of records authorized to practice in New Jersey, who shall be held responsible for them, the conduct of the litigation and the attorney admitted herein.

5. Jan D. Atlas, Esq. cannot be designated as trial counsel and must be accompanied by a member of the New Jersey Bar at all proceedings, unless specifically waived by the Court.

6. No discovery, motion, trial or any other proceeding delay shall occur or be requested by reason of inability of Jan D. Atlas, Esq. to be in attendance.

7. Jan D. Atlas, Esq. must, within ten (10) days, pay the fees required by R. 1:20-1(b) and R. 1:28-2.

8. The *pro hac vice* admission of Jan D. Atlas, Esq. will automatically terminate for failure to make the initial and any annual payment required by R. 1:20-1(b) and R. 1:28-2.

9. Non-compliance with any of the terms of this Order shall constitute grounds for removal.

10. A true copy of this Order be served on all parties within seven (7) days of the receipt of this Order.



Brian R. Martinotti, J.S.C.

This Motion was:

Opposed

Unopposed