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MERK, SHARP & DOHME, CORP.,

Attorneys for Plaintiffs

vs.

ROBIN SINGER and	SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
MORRIS SINGER,	LAW DIVISION
	ATLANTIC COUNTY

Plaintiffs,

DOCKET NO: ATL-L-381-12

FOSAMAX MCL CASE NO. 282

CIVIL ACTION

Defendant.

ORDER GRANTING ADMISSION

PRO HAC VICE TO

LAWRENCE S. PAIKOFF, ESQ.

NOW, Asim M. Badaruzzaman, Esq., counsel for Plaintiffs Robin Singer and Morris Singer, upon notice to all interested parties, have moved before this Court for admission *pro hac vice* Lawrence S. Paikoff, Esq. and the Court having considered the papers in support thereof; and the Court having found that Lawrence S. Paikoff, Esq. is a member in good standing of the bar of the highest Court in the State of California, where he principally practices law and further good cause shown;

IT IS ON THIS 5th day of March , 2	Γ IS ON THIS	5th	day of	March	, 202
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ORDERED that the Motion is granted and Lawrence S. Paikoff, Esq., is admitted to practice *pro hac vice* before this Court pursuant to <u>R</u>. 1:21-2, for all purposes and in all proceedings in connection with this action, 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 he shall:

1. abide by the Rules of the Court for the State of New Jersey, including all disciplinary Rules;

2. 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 him or his firm that may arise out of his participation in these cases;

3. notify the Court immediately of any matter affecting his standing at the bar of any Court; and

4. have all pleadings, briefs, and other papers filed in this Court signed by an attorney-at-law of this Court employed by the law firm of Seeger Weiss LLP who shall be responsible for them, for the conduct of the cause of Lawrence S. Paikoff, Esq.

5. not be designated as trial counsel and must be accompanied by a member of the New Jersey bar for all proceedings, unless specifically waived by the Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Lawrence S. Paikoff, Esq, shall make payment of all fees due to the State of New Jersey within 30 days of the entry of the pro hac vice Order allowing for admission and as provided in the New Jersey Rules of Court, R. 1:20-1(b), 1:28-2, and 1:28B-1(e).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that *pro hac vice* admission in the State of New Jersey shall automatically terminate for failure to make the initial payment required by R. 1:20-1(b), R. 1:28-1, and R. 1:28-2.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that service of this Order shall be deemed effectuated upon all parties upon its upload to e-Courts. Pursuant to <u>Rule</u> 1:5-1(a), movant shall serve a copy of this Order on all parties not served electronically within seven (7) days of the date of this Order.

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(X) UNOPPOSED

Having read and considered the above motion, the Court finds it to be unopposed, meritorious on its face, and in compliance with R. 1:21-2. Pursuant to R. 1:6-2, it therefore will be granted essentially for the reasons set forth in the moving papers.