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Honorable Nicholas G. Garaufis, District Judge **United States District Court** Eastern District of New York 225 Cadman Plaza East Brooklyn, NY 11201

Re: MDL No. 3044 - In re: Exactech Polyethylene Orthopedic Products Liability Litigation 1:22-md-03044-NGG-MMH

Dear Judge Garaufis:

As stated during the conference before Judge Henry today, the parties have conferred, and Plaintiffs and Defendant counsel agree it would be beneficial to have the opportunity to respond to opposing counsel's briefing with regard to bellwether case selection. The bellwether selection briefs are due on April 15 and we would each like the opportunity to submit within three days, (April 18), reply letter briefs that would not exceed three pages.

We appreciate the Court's consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted, Weitz & Luxenberg, P.C.

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