UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

IN RE: COVIDIEN HERNIA MESH PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION NO. II,

This Document Relates To:

MDL No. 1:22-md-03029-PBS

All Cases

PLAINTIFFS' SELECTION OF SUBSTITUTE BELLWETHER DISCOVERY PLAINTIFF AND JOINT PROPOSED SCHEDULE GOVERNING SUBSTITUTE SELECTION

Pursuant to the discussion with the Court at the 12/19/23 Case Management Conference,

the PSC selects the following case as a substitute for Leslie Covington, 1:22-cv-10104:

• Claudia G. Juanz, 1:21-cv-12020

The Parties conferred and propose the following joint schedule governing the substitute

Bellwether Discovery Plaintiff:

Date	<u>Event</u>
February 2, 2024	Plaintiff shall serve a completed Plaintiff Fact Sheet ("PFS").
March 18, 2024	Defendants will serve a Defendant Fact Sheet ("DFS").
June 7, 2024	Completion of all case-specific fact discovery, which may include up to five fact depositions taken by each party in interest in each case.

Dated: January 3, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 3rd day of January 2024, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court by using the CM/ECF system, which will send a notice of this electronic filing to all counsel of record.

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