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REPLY TO TEANECK

By Overnight Mail
Honorable Robert L. Miller, J.D.C.
US District Court
204 South Main St.
South Bend, IN 46601

Re: In Re Biomet Magnum M2a Product Liability Litigation
MDL No.2391

Joan Szabo v. Biomet, Inc., et als
Case No. 12-cv-667

Dear Judge Miller:

This firm represents five plaintiffs in this MDL, including Ms. Szabo. I am writing to join the chorus on her behalf concerning Defendant's settlement and mediation strategies.

The facts of Ms. Szabo's case follow form. She was classified as a Group 1, challenged, given a very low offer and advised Defendant's position would not change regardless of relevant evidence or mediator involvement. Other plaintiffs' attorneys confirmed this settlement strategy as well.

As a consequence, Ms. Szabo felt compelled to accept the Defendant's offer since she had no other viable option.

This experience, too, should be considered, I respectfully submit, in context with other correspondence that has been sent to the Court on this issue.

Respectfully submitted,


Terrence Smith

cc: John D. Winter