

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF RHODE ISLAND

IN RE KUGEL MESH HERNIA PATCH
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL NO. 07-1842 ML

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO ALL ACTIONS

ORDER APPOINTING AUDITOR

Before the Court is the Motion for Partial Reimbursement of Common Benefit Attorneys' Expenses from the Common Benefit Fund (Docket #3999) wherein Plaintiffs' Steering Committee ("PSC"), through Plaintiff's Liaison Counsel, seek partial reimbursement of expenses from the Common Benefit Fund established by order of this Court (Docket #2382) as amended (Docket #2415 and #3795).

The Court hereby appoints:

Professor Kate Jelinek, PhD, CPA
Associate Professor of Accounting
University of Rhode Island

to serve as the Court's auditing expert. Professor Jelinek shall conduct an audit of documentation provided by PSC counsel in support of the request for an order authorizing partial reimbursement of expenses from the Common Benefit Fund to ensure that the expenses for which PSC counsel seek reimbursement comport with the parameters of Practice and Procedure Order No. 22 as amended.

Plaintiffs' Liaison Counsel shall submit copies of receipts, invoices, and any other

documentation in support of PSC's claims for reimbursement on or before February 5, 2013.

SO ORDERED:

/s/ Mary M. Lisi

Mary M. Lisi
Chief United States District Judge
January 23, 2013