

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA  
AT CHARLESTON**

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| <b>IN RE: ETHICON, INC., PELVIC<br/>REPAIR SYSTEM PRODUCTS<br/>LIABILITY LITIGATION</b> | <b>Master File No. 2:12-MD-02327<br/>MDL No. 2327</b> |
| <hr/> <b>THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO<br/>ALL CASES</b>                                     | <b>JOSEPH R. GOODWIN<br/>U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE</b>      |

**PRETRIAL ORDER # 201  
(ORDER ESTABLISHING REPORTING ON PAYMENT TO THE MDL 2327 FUND)**

Pursuant to Pretrial Order # 62, as amended by Pretrial Order # 134, Ethicon, Inc. and Johnson & Johnson (“Ethicon”) are required to pay into the MDL 2327 Fund, **five percent (5%)** of any sum to be paid in settlement of a claim. It is **ORDERED** that Ethicon follow the mechanism set forth below for reporting all payments made into the MDL 2327 Fund to the Court.

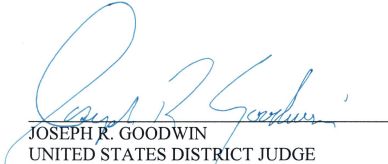
No later than January 31, 2016, Ethicon shall provide the Court with a report (“MDL Fund Report”) on all payments made into the MDL 2327 Fund by or on behalf of Ethicon through December 31, 2015. Thereafter, within thirty (30) calendar days of the end of each quarter, Ethicon shall provide the Court with an MDL Fund Report on all payments made into the MDL 2327 Fund by or on behalf of Ethicon during the preceding quarter (*e.g.*, by April 30, 2016, Ethicon shall provide a report on all payments from January 1, 2016 through March 31, 2016). Such MDL Fund Reports shall be submitted to the court via email and maintained by the Court in chambers for in camera review and reconciliation with the amounts received by the MDL 2327 Fund. The MDL Fund Reports will not be filed or kept in the Court Clerk’s office.

A template form MDL Fund Report is attached hereto as Exhibit A. In addition, template

forms for use as an exhibit to attach to the MDL Fund Reports are attached hereto as Exhibit B. For each payment made into the MDL 2327 Fund by or on behalf of Ethicon, the MDL Fund Report shall set forth in a form substantially similar to Exhibit A, (1) the date of the payment to the MDL 2327 Fund; (2) the amount of the payment to the MDL 2327 Fund; (3) a wire confirmation number or other proof of payment; (4) the total number of claims for which the payment to the MDL 2327 Fund was made; (5) the cumulative total amount to be paid in settlement of the claims; (6) the amount of each payment to the MDL 2327 Fund; (7) the name and other identifying information for each claimant on whose behalf the payment was made; (8) and the attorney or law firm representing each such claimant.

The court **DIRECTS** the Clerk to file a copy of this order in 2:12-md-2327 and it shall apply to each member related case previously transferred to, removed to, or filed in this district, which includes counsel in all member cases up to and including civil action number 2:15-cv-14482. In cases subsequently filed in this district, a copy of the most recent pretrial order will be provided by the Clerk to counsel appearing in each new action at the time of filing of the complaint. In cases subsequently removed or transferred to this court, a copy of the most recent pretrial order will be provided by the Clerk to counsel appearing in each new action upon removal or transfer. It shall be the responsibility of the parties to review and abide by all pretrial orders previously entered by the court. The orders may be accessed through the CM/ECF system or the court's website at [www.wvsc.uscourts.gov](http://www.wvsc.uscourts.gov).

ENTER: October 29, 2015

  
JOSEPH R. GOODWIN  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE



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*Lead Counsel for Ethicon, Inc. and  
Johnson & Johnson*

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBIT B**

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| <b>Settlement</b>                     | <b>[INSERT FIRM NAME]</b>                                     |
| Total Number of Claims                | [INSERT TOTAL NUMBER OF CLAIMS]                               |
| Total Settlement Amount               | [INSERT CUMULATIVE TOTAL SETTLEMENT AMOUNT]                   |
| Amount Paid to MDL 2327 Fund          | [INSERT CUMULATIVE AMOUNT PAID TO MDL 2327 FUND]              |
| Date of Payment to MDL 2327 Fund      | [INSERT PAYMENT DATE]   |
| Wire Confirmation or Proof of Payment | [INSERT WIRE CONFIRMATION # OR ATTACH OTHER PROOF OF PAYMENT] |

| <b>Settlement Firm</b>        | <b>Claimant Data</b> |               |           |            |
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| Associated Counsel / Attorney | AMS Claim #          | SSN           | Last Name | First Name |
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