IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA

CHARLESTON DIVISION

IN RE: AMERICAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS, INC.,

PELVIC REPAIR SYSTEM PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL No. 2325

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO ALL CASES

PRETRIAL ORDER # 35

(**Revised** Short Form Complaint and Amended Short Form Complaint re: **Removal of Analytic Biosurgical Solutions** ("**ABISS**"))

Today I entered PTO # 15 in In re Coloplast Pelvic Support System Product Liability Litigation, MDL 2387, granting a motion to amend the Master Complaint in that MDL to dismiss defendant Analytic Biosurgical Solutions ("ABISS"). As a result, I attach a **revised** (1) Short Form Complaint (Exhibit A); and a **revised** (2) Amended Short Form Complaint (Exhibit B) for this MDL that reflect omission of ABISS from these documents.

It is **ORDERED** as follows:

(1) While PTO # 17 (New Direct filing Order; Master Complaint, Short Form Complaint,

Amended Short Form Complaint and Master Responsive Pleadings) and PTO # 31 (Revised

Short Form Complaint and Amended Short Form Complaint re: Addition of Coloplast, et al.;

Revised Motion to Transfer MDL) remain in force and effect (except with respect to the

inclusion of ABISS), parties filing Short Form Complaints in new cases or Amended Short Form

Complaints in existing cases must use the revised forms attached to this PTO and located on

the court's website beginning January 10, 2013, rather than the Short Form and Amended

Short Form Complaints attached to previous PTOs; and

(2) To the extent plaintiffs have named ABISS by Short Form or Amended Short

Form Complaint, they are granted leave to file an Amended Short Form Complaint dropping

ABISS on or before **February 8, 2013**. This practice is consistent with the practice outlined by

this court in the PTO related to direct filing. By filing an Amended Short Form Complaint that

drops ABISS, the Clerk is permitted to terminate ABISS. In the alternative, plaintiffs may file a

pleading in compliance with Rule 41 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure should they wish to

dismiss their directly filed action naming ABISS and name ABISS and any other party in the

appropriate district where the action may be brought.

The court **DIRECTS** the Clerk to file a copy of this order in 2:12-md-2325 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 2:13-cv-

0187. 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.wvsd.uscourts.gov.

ENTER: January 8, 2013

JOSEPH R. GOODWIN

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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Exhibit A

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA

CHARLESTON DIVISION

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Products Liability Litigation
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Civil Action No.		
SHORT FORM COMPLAINT		
Come now the Plaintiff(s) named below, and for Complaint against the Defendants named		
below, incorporate The First Amended Master Complaint in MDL No. 2325 by reference.		
Plaintiff(s) further show the court as follows:		
1. Female Plaintiff		
2. Plaintiff Spouse		
3. Other Plaintiff and capacity (i.e., administrator, executor, guardian, conservator)		
4. State of Residence		
5. District Court and Division in which venue would be proper absent direct		
filing		
6. Defendants (Check Defendants against whom Complaint is made):		
A. American Medical Systems, Inc. ("AMS")		

B. American Medical Systems Holdings, Inc. ("AMS Holdings")

	C. Endo Pharmaceuticals, Inc.		
	D. Endo Health Solutions Inc. (f/k/a Endo Pharmaceuticals Holdings, Inc.)		
	E. Ethicon, Inc.		
	F. Ethicon, LLC		
	G. Johnson & Johnson		
	H. Boston Scientific Corporation		
	I. C. R. Bard, Inc. ("Bard")		
	J. Sofradim Production SAS ("Sofradim")		
	K. Tissue Science Laboratories Limited ("TSL")		
	L. Mentor Worldwide LLC		
	M. Coloplast A/S		
	N. Coloplast Corp.		
	O. Coloplast Manufacturing US, LLC		
	P. Porges S.A.		
Basis o	of Jurisdiction		
	Diversity of Citizenship		
	Other:		
A. Pa	aragraphs in Master Complaint upon which venue and jurisdiction lie:		

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	B. Ot	Other allegations of jurisdiction and venue		
8.	Defend	ants' products implanted in Plaintiff (Check products implanted in Plaintiff)		
		A. Apogee;		
		B. Perigee;		
		C. MiniArc Sling;		
		D. Monarc Subfascial Hammock;		
		E. SPARC;		
		F. In-Fast;		
		G. BioArc;		
		H. Elevate;		
		I. Straight-In;		
		J. Other		
9.	9. Defendants' Products about which Plaintiff is making a claim. (Check applicable products)			
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10. I	Date of	Implantation as to Each Product
11. I	Hospita	l(s) where Plaintiff was implanted (including City and State)
12. I	mplant	ing Surgeon(s)
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	Count III – Strict Liability – Manufacturing Defect	
		Count IV – Strict Liability – Failure to Warn
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Count VIII – Fraudulent Concealment		
Count IX – Constructive Fraud		
Count X - Discovery Rule, Tolling and Fraudulent Concealment		
Count XI – Negligent Misrepresentation		
Count XII – Negligent Infliction of Emotional Distress		
Count XIII – Violation of Consumer Protection Laws		
Count XIV – Gross Negligence		
Count XV - Unjust Enrichment		
Count XVI - (By the Spouse) – Loss of Consortium		
Count XVII – Punitive Damages		
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AMENDED SHORT FORM COMPLAINT		
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