UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

IN RE: DAVOL, INC./C.R. BARD, INC., POLYPROPYLENE HERNIA MESH PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

Case No. 2:18-md-2846

JUDGE EDMUND A. SARGUS, JR. Magistrate Judge Kimberly A. Jolson

This document relates to: ALL ACTIONS.

## **CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER NO. 47**

On August 29, 2023, a Case Management Conference was held in this multidistrict litigation. This order memorializes developments in the third and fourth bellwether cases, Case No. 18-cv-1022, *Stinson v. Davol, Inc. et al.* and Case No. 18-cv-1440, *Bryan v. C.R. Bard, Inc. et al.* 

As noted previously, the Court shall hold trial in *Bryan v. C.R. Bard* on April 8, 2024. The trial of *Stinson v. Davol* shall begin the week of October 16, 2023. The first week of trial shall last **Five Days (5)**. All subsequent weeks of trial shall last **FOUR DAYS (4)**, beginning on Monday and ending on Thursday.

During the conference, the parties noted a dispute over Plaintiff's interrogatories. Specifically, Plaintiff contends that Defendant's responses were inadequate. The Court **ORDERS** the parties to meet and confer regarding Plaintiff's Fourth Set of Interrogatories. The parties shall have **SEVEN DAYS** (7) to resolve the issue between themselves. If the parties are unable to do so in the time period allotted, the Court **ORDERS** them to brief this issue for the Court. Plaintiff shall have **SEVEN DAYS** (7) to submit their filings. Upon submission of Plaintiff's briefing, Defendant shall have **SEVEN DAYS** (7) to submit their response. Neither submission shall

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IT IS SO ORDERED.

8/31/2023s/Edmund A. Sargus, Jr.DATEEDMUND A. SARGUS, JR.UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE