

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA  
EASTERN DISTRICT**

PATRICIA L. HAMMONS

: No. 458 EAL 2018

v.

: Petition for Allowance of Appeal from  
: the Order of the Superior Court

ETHICON, INC. AND JOHNSON &  
JOHNSON; GYNECARE; SECANT  
MEDICAL; SECANT MEDICAL INC.;  
PRODESCO, INC.; AND SECANT  
MEDICAL, LLC

PETITION OF: ETHICON, INC. AND  
JOHNSON & JOHNSON

SHARON CARLINO AND CHARLES  
CARLINO

: No. 111 EM 2018

v.

ETHICON, INC. AND JOHNSON &  
JOHNSON AND GYNECARE; SECANT  
MEDICAL; SECANT MEDICAL INC.,  
PRODESCO, INC.; AND SECANT  
MEDICAL LLC

PETITION OF: ETHICON, INC. AND  
JOHNSON & JOHNSON

IN RE: PELVIC MESH LITIGATION

: No. 112 EM 2018

PETITION OF: ETHICON, INC. AND  
JOHNSON & JOHNSON

**ORDER**

**PER CURIAM**

**AND NOW**, this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2019, the Petition for Allowance of Appeal is **GRANTED, LIMITED TO** the issue set forth below. Allocatur is **DENIED** as to all remaining issues. The issue as stated by Petitioner is:

Whether the Due Process Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution and 42 Pa.C.S. § 5322(c) precludes Pennsylvania from asserting personal jurisdiction over two New Jersey companies in a case brought by an Indiana resident asserting claims under the Indiana Product Liability Act.

The Petitions at 111 EM 2018 and 112 EM 2018 for Extraordinary Relief and/or King's Bench Jurisdiction are **DENIED**.