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6 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
7 **FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA**
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10 IN RE: Bard IVC Filters Products
11 Liability Litigation,

No. MDL 15-02641-PHX-DGC

12 **SUGGESTION OF REMAND AND**
13 **TRANSFER ORDER**
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15 This multidistrict litigation proceeding (“MDL”) involves personal injury cases
16 brought against Defendants C. R. Bard, Inc. and Bard Peripheral Vascular, Inc.
17 (collectively, “Bard”). Bard manufactures and markets medical devices, including
18 inferior vena cava (“IVC”) filters. The MDL Plaintiffs have received implants of Bard
19 IVC filters and claim they are defective and have caused Plaintiffs to suffer serious injury
20 or death.

21 The MDL was transferred to this Court in August 2015 when 22 cases had been
22 filed. Doc. 1. More than 8,000 cases had been filed when the MDL closed to new cases
23 on May 31, 2019. Docs. 18079, 18128. Thousands of cases pending in the MDL have
24 settled in principle or are near settlement. See Docs. 16343, 19445, 19798-1, -2. The
25 remaining cases no longer benefit from centralized proceedings and are subject to remand
26 or transfer.

27 The cases listed on Schedule A, which were transferred to this MDL by the United
28 States Judicial Panel for Multidistrict Litigation (the “Panel”), should be remanded to the

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Schedule A – Cases that Should Be Remanded by the Panel**

Case Caption	Current Case Number	Transferor District	Original Case Number
Jessica Parker v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:15-cv-01739	Ala. N.D.	5:15-cv-00787
Dean Becker v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:15-cv-02155	Cal. C.D.	2:15-cv-07937
David Sizemore v. C.R. Bard, Inc.	2:15-cv-01638	Cal. C.D.	2:15-cv-01945
David Woolley v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:16-cv-01271	Cal. C.D.	8:16-cv-00068
Christopher Cronan v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:15-cv-01719	Cal. E.D.	2:15-cv-01418
Patricia Martin v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:16-cv-02362	Conn.	3:16-cv-01113
Gary Milton v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:15-cv-01625	Ga. M.D.	5:14-cv-00351
Patricia Jones v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:15-cv-02647	Ga. N.D.	1:15-cv-04178
Emily Landress v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:15-cv-01884	Ga. N.D.	1:15-cv-02672-LMM
Vanessa Rose v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:19-cv-01744	Ga. N.D.	1:19-cv-00841
Alice Jackson v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:15-cv-01649	Ill. N.D.	1:14-cv-04080
Jennifer Shropshire v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:15-cv-02655	Ky. E.D.	5:15-cv-00374-JMH
Thomas Fregeau v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:15-cv-01721	Mass.	1:15-cv-13111
Stephanie Barton v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:17-cv-02646	Mo. E.D.	4:17-cv-00770
Catherine Rowden v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:15-cv-02091	Mo. E.D.	4:15-cv-01489-NAB
Tonya Munson v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:15-cv-01646	Miss. N.D.	3:14-cv-00279-MPM
Jeffrey Miner v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:16-cv-01254	Neb.	4:16-cv-00305
Alana Bond v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:16-cv-00598	N.J.	2:15-cv-08773-SDW

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Schedule B – Direct-Filed Cases to Be Transferred

Case Caption	Case Number	Transferee District
Diane Lee Manns v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:17-cv-01088	W. Va. S.D.
Dianna Roush v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:19-cv-00790	W. Va. S.D.
Steven Clyde Sharpe v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:18-cv-00732	W. Va. S.D.
Mark Topping v. C. R. Bard, Inc.	2:16-cv-01339	W. Va. S.D.

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Exhibit 1 – MDL Orders

CASE MANAGEMENT ORDERS (CMOs)		
Date Filed	Doc. No.	Docket Text
10/30/2015	248	CMO 1 re Leadership Counsel Appointments
11/16/2016	4016	Amended CMO 1 re Leadership Counsel Appointments
03/21/2017	5285	Second Amended CMO 1 re Plaintiff Leadership Team
02/04/2019	15098	Third Amended CMO 1 re Plaintiff Leadership Team
10/30/2015	249	CMO 2 re Setting Deadlines, First Phase of Discovery
12/01/2015	314	CMO 3 re Non-waiver Order Pursuant to Rule 502(d)
12/17/2015	363	CMO 4 re Master Complaint, Responsive Pleadings, Short Form Complaint, Waiver, and Answer
3/17/2016	1108	Amended CMO 4 re Master Complaint, Responsive Pleadings, Short Form Complaint, Waiver, and Answer
4/20/2016	1485	Second Amended CMO 4 re Master Complaint, Responsive Pleadings, Short Form Complaint, Waiver, and Answer
12/17/2015	365	CMO 5 re Plaintiff and Defendant Profile Forms
03/03/2016	927	Amended CMO 5 re Plaintiff and Defendant Profile Forms
12/18/2015	372	CMO 6 re Rules to Establishing Common Benefit Fee
01/05/2016	401	CMO 7 re Stipulations Concerning Redactions
02/02/2016	519	CMO 8 re Second Phase of Discovery
03/31/2016	1259	CMO 9 re ESI and production protocol
04/01/2016	1319	CMO 10 re Second Phase Discovery, Bellwether, ESI, FDA, Deposition, and Privilege Log
05/05/2016	1662	CMO 11 re Bellwether Selection Process
05/05/2016	1663	CMO 12 re Joint Record Collection
06/21/2016	2238	CMO 13 re ESI, FDA Warning Letter and Designations
06/21/2016	2239	CMO 14 re Deposition Protocols

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Exhibit 2 – Admitted Exhibit List from Bellwether Trials and Documents No Longer Subject to Protective Order

Trial Ex. No.	Notes	Description
8583		G3 Project Status Report April 19, 2006
8837		Defendants' Exhibit 10 to Joint Report on Determining Filter Type
9080		10/7/07 Email from Dr. Lehman

Document deemed no longer subject to the Protective Order

Trial Ex. No.	Notes	Description
908		Ciavarella Deposition, 03/01/2011 - Exhibit 12 - 5/11/2005 "Dear Colleague" letter from BPV re. the Recovery filter system