

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

**CHARLESTON DIVISION**

IN RE: C.R. BARD, INC., PELVIC REPAIR  
SYSTEM PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL No. 2187

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THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO ALL CASES

**PRETRIAL ORDER # 43**  
(Order Staying Answer Due Date)

Pending the entry of direct filing orders in MDL 2325, MDL 2326, and MDL 2327, in which master responsive pleadings will be deemed filed in all MDLs, it is **ORDERED** that any defendant in the above-referenced MDLs (2325, 2326, 2327), who has presented for filing to the court or who will present for filing master responsive pleadings as referenced in the proposed direct filing orders, is relieved of its obligation to answer or otherwise respond to complaints filed in MDL 2187.

The court **DIRECTS** the Clerk to file a copy of this order in 2-10-md-2187 and it shall apply to each 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 2-12-cv-02561. 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](http://www.wvsd.uscourts.gov).

ENTER: July 5, 2012



Joseph R. Goodwin  
Joseph R. Goodwin, Chief Judge