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Committee Secretary Sende Standing Committee on Community Affairs P.D. Box 6100 RECEIVED Parliment House. 2 6 APR 2017 Canberra A.C. 2600 19.4.2017 Deur Sir/Madam Rei Johnson & Johnson Mesh Class Action I refer to your inquiry into the Mesh Implants, and as I had this surgery in 2008, I would like to respond to the problems I have suffered Since this Surgery. 1. After surgery, suffered a very Servere vaginal infection, 2. Straight after surgery had pain in right groin which never went away Constipation made worse. 3. 4. Loss of feeling and pain during sex, Lost total Sensation of an organia. constant bladder wintation feeling like I had an infection, and wanting to winche all the time. 5. time. 6. Unie lechage which I never had before 7. I prolapsed again 4 yrs (2012). 8. Mesh not able to be removed 7. of Had prolopse surgery again (2016) with just States. Generally fired all the time lost energy 10.

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that I used to have. 11. Lat of Stadder rections. I applogige for this handwritten letter, but I do not have access to a printer at the moment. I thank you for taking the time to investigate this matter, and had I known the problems associated with the mesh I would never have hed it done! Yours Sincerely