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1 THE STATE OF OHIO,)

2) SS: GAUL, D., J.

3 COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA.)

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5 IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

6 CRIMINAL DIVISION

7 **AMY BURKE, ET AL,**)

8 Plaintiffs,)

9 -v-

) Case No. **CV-401962**

10 **TIMOTHY NICE, M. D., ET AL,**)

11 Defendants.)

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13 EXCERPT TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS
14 RECROSS-EXAMINATION OF DR. HENRY BOHLMAN

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4 **RECROSS-EXAMINATION OF DR. HENRY BOHLMAN**

5 BY MR. TRACI:

6 Q. So, doctor, you're suggesting then that the T-8
7 lesion is related to her lupus; is that what you're
8 saying?

9 A. Well, I believe so.

10 Q. Okay. And that T-8 lesion was caused by the
11 surgery?

12 A. I don't think it was caused directly by the
13 surgical procedure at the lower lumbar level, but just
14 was based on what I can read, that certain things
15 trigger off lupus, even in the beginning,
16 environmental things, poisons, drugs, it may be the
17 anesthetic, I don't think that's neither here nor
18 there. She had the cord lesion at the T-8 level
19 following the surgery.

20 Q. So it happened during the surgery?

21 A. Don't know. May have happened during or
22 afterward, I don't know.

23 Q. Okay. So isn't it true that it's entirely
24 speculative whether or not she got the T-8 lesion
25 you're relying on during surgery; isn't that entirely