

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
Appellate Division, Fourth Judicial Department

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CA 15-00256

PRESENT: SCUDDER, P.J., SMITH, CENTRA, PERADOTTO, AND CARNI, JJ.

PAUL K. ISAAC AND PARAMOUNT SETTLEMENT
PLANNING, LLC, PLAINTIFFS-APPELLANTS,

V

ORDER

MEDICAL LIABILITY MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY,
RINGLER ASSOCIATES, INC., BLACK, HOLCOMB,
SMITH & ASSOCIATES, INC., KIPNES CROWLEY
GROUP, LLC, THE PENSION COMPANY, AND JMW
SETTLEMENTS, INC., DEFENDANTS-RESPONDENTS.

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Appeal from an order of the Supreme Court, Erie County (Timothy
J. Walker, A.J.), entered April 23, 2014. The order granted the
motions of defendants to dismiss the second amended complaint.

It is hereby ORDERED that the order so appealed from is
unanimously affirmed without costs for reasons stated in the decision
at Supreme Court.

Entered: October 2, 2015

Frances E. Cafarell
Clerk of the Court