SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

No. 23-	
	TOCHILA E. DIJEKIN
	JOSHUA E. BUFKIN,
	Petitioner,
	v.
	DENIS R. MCDONOUGH, SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS,
	Respondent.
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	NORMAN F. THORNTON,
	Petitioner,
	v.
	DENIS R. MCDONOUGH, SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS,
	Respondent.
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Executed on this 2nd day of July, 2024.

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