App. B

NOTE: This order is nonprecedential.

United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit

SEAN A. KENDALL,
Claimant-Appellant

v.

DOUGLAS A. COLLINS, SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS,
Respondent-Appellee

DORIS LAUGHTON-SMITH,
Respondent

2024-1230

Appeal from the United States Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims in No. 21-5563, Judge William S. Greenberg.

ON PETITION FOR PANEL REHEARING AND REHEARING EN BANC

Before MOORE, *Chief Judge*, LOURIE, LINN[1], DYK, PROST, REYNA, TARANTO, CHEN, HUGHES, STOLL, CUNNINGHAM, and STARK, *Circuit Judges*.[2]

PER CURIAM.

O R D E R

On July 6, 2026, Sean A. Kendall filed a petition for rehearing en banc [ECF No. 65]. A response to the petition was invited by the court and filed by Douglas A. Collins.

Federal Circuit Bar Association requested leave to file a brief as amicus curiae, which the court granted.

The petition was first referred to the panel that heard the appeal, and thereafter the petition was referred to the circuit judges who are in regular active service.

Upon consideration thereof,

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

The petition for panel rehearing is denied.

The petition for rehearing en banc is denied.

FOR THE COURT



September 28, 2026
Date

Jarrett B. Perlow
Clerk of Court

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[1] Circuit Judge Linn participated only in the decision on the petition for panel rehearing.

[2] Circuit Judge Newman did not participate.