

**IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR VETERANS CLAIMS**

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| <b>FELIX PAUL PHILLIPS,</b>    | ) |                       |
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| Appellant,                     | ) |                       |
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| v.                             | ) | Vet. App. No. 22-2575 |
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| <b>DENIS MCDONOUGH,</b>        | ) |                       |
| Secretary of Veterans Affairs, | ) |                       |
|                                | ) |                       |
| Appellee.                      | ) |                       |

**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE AS SUBSTITUTE COUNSEL**

The Clerk will please enter my appearance for the Secretary, as the representative of record, in substitution for Ronen Z. Morris, Esquire.

I will accept service for the Secretary.

I hereby certify that I am admitted to practice before this Court.

Respectfully submitted,

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