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

No: 21-8048

BRYAN J. HELD, APPELLANT,

v.

DENIS MCDONOUGH,  
SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS, APPELLEE.

**MANDATE**

The time for reconsideration, review, or appeal of the Court's decision has expired. That decision is final and is not subject to further review.

Under Rule 41(a) of the Court's Rules of Practice and Procedure, mandate is effective April 15, 2024.

Dated: April 16, 2024

FOR THE COURT:

TIFFANY M. WAGNER  
Clerk of the Court

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Deputy Clerk

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