

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

MONTE E. GASKINS, SR.,)	
Appellant,)	
)	
v.)	Vet. App. No. 19-8634
)	
ROBERT L. WILKIE,)	
Secretary of Veterans Affairs,)	
Appellee.)	

APPELLEE’S MOTION FOR STAY OF PROCEEDINGS

Pursuant to U.S. Vet. App. R. 5(a)(3) and 27, Appellee respectfully moves the Court for a stay of proceedings. This motion is made in the interest of judicial efficiency, pending a ruling on Appellee’s motion to dismiss simultaneously filed herewith. In that motion, Appellee moved the Court to dismiss for lack of jurisdiction. The Secretary thus seeks this stay of proceedings to conserve judicial resources pending the Court’s ruling on that motion.

Appellant is currently proceeding pro se in this matter.

WHEREFORE, Appellee respectfully moves the Court to grant a stay of proceedings.

Respectfully submitted,

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I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

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