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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR VETERANS CLAIMS

No. 20-1308

MIGUEL A. RODRIGUEZ-ARROYO,

PETITIONER,

V.

ROBERT L. WILKIE, SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS,

RESPONDENT.

Before TOTH, Judge.

ORDER

Note: Pursuant to U.S. Vet. App. R. 30(a), this action may not be cited as precedent.

Veteran Miguel Rodriguez-Arroyo petitions this Court for a writ of mandamus directing the Secretary to process his appeal. He contends that, following an adverse decision on several issues, VA had him undergo hearings tests in 2017 and tests for hypertensive vascular disease and asthma in 2018. VA has not contacted him since.

Given these allegations, the Court defers ruling on the petition and seeks a response from the Secretary. See U.S. VET. APP. R. 21(d). Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the Secretary, within 30 days from the date of this order, file an answer to Mr. Rodriguez-Arroyo's petition, responding to the issues raised therein and providing any documentation pertinent to the Court's resolution of this matter.

DATED: March 25, 2020

BY THE COURT:

JOSEPH L. TOTH

Judge

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