

# United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit

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**JOHN J. BATCHER,**  
*Claimant-Appellant*

v.

**ROBERT WILKIE, SECRETARY OF VETERANS  
AFFAIRS,**  
*Respondent-Appellee*

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2019-2116

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Appeal from the United States Court of Appeals for  
Veterans Claims in No. 16-638, Judge Joseph L. Toth,  
Judge William S. Greenberg, Chief Judge Margaret C.  
Bartley.

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## MANDATE

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In accordance with the judgment of this Court, entered  
September 11, 2020, and pursuant to Rule 41 of the Federal  
Rules of Appellate Procedure, the formal mandate is  
hereby issued.

FOR THE COURT

November 2, 2020

/s/ Peter R. Marksteiner

Peter R. Marksteiner  
Clerk of Court