

Scott J. Laurer
Judge

December 3, 2021

**IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR VETERANS CLAIMS****WENDELL ANDREWS,**
Appellant

v.

DENIS MCDONOUGH,
Secretary of Veterans Affairs,
Appellee.)
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Vet. App. No. 19-3227

**APPELLEE'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR A 30-DAY STAY,
FROM NOVEMBER 30, 2021, UNTIL DECEMBER 30, 2021**

Pursuant to U.S. Vet. App. Rule 5(a)(3), 27, and 45(g)(5), the Secretary respectfully moves the Court for a 30-day stay of proceedings in this matter from November 30, 2021, until December 30, 2021. As good cause for this motion, the Secretary informs that the parties are discussing and evaluating the possibility of a potential joint resolution regarding the EAJA application in this case, which may be mutually agreeable and conserve the resources of the Court. As such, additional time is necessary for that purpose. Appellant's counsel is unopposed to this motion.

WHEREFORE, the Secretary respectfully requests the Court to stay proceedings in this matter from November 30, 2021, until December 30, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,

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