UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR VETERANS CLAIMS

THOMAS SMITH,		
	Appellant,	
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DENIS MCDONOUGH , Secretary of Veterans Affairs,		
	Appellee.	

Vet.App. No. 18-4730

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

The Clerk will please enter my appearance as lead counsel for the Secretary

of Veterans Affairs. I am the representative of record, and I will accept service for

the Secretary. I hereby certify that I am admitted to practice before this Court.

Respectfully submitted,

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