

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF CONNECTICUT**

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

STEPHANIE THOMAS, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 3:26-CV-00021-KAD

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Plaintiff United States of America, by and through the Attorney General, appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit from this Court's Order granting the Common Cause Intervenor-Defendants' Motion to Dismiss and denying the United States' Motion to Compel (ECF 109) and judgment (ECF 110) entered in this action on July 17, 2026, and July 23, 2026, respectively.

Dated: July 23, 2026

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on July 23, 2026, a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served via the Court's ECF system to all counsel of record.

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