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BETTY JOHNSON, on behalf of herself and as a representative of a class of similarly situated persons,

Plaintiff,

and

ROSA A. CAMACHO, Retiree and Member of the Settlement Class,

Plaintiff-Appellant,

v.

RALPH DLG. TORRES, Governor of the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands,

Defendant,

and

NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS SETTLEMENT FUND,

Defendant-Appellee.

No. 23-16074

D.C. No. 1:09-cv-00023

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Islands,

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ORDER

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Before: MURGUIA, Chief Judge, and GRABER and MENDOZA, Circuit Judges.

Appellant's motion, Dkt. No. 45, is GRANTED in part. The effect of the panel's Opinion filed on November 20, 2025, is stayed pending the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands' resolution of Plaintiff's

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November 7, 2025, Petition for Rehearing. The mandate is stayed pending further order of the court. The parties shall notify the Clerk of this court within seven days of the Commonwealth Supreme Court's resolution of the Petition for Rehearing.