

United States Court of Appeals
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

No. 20-5193

September Term, 2020

1:19-cv-03619-CJN

Filed On: February 22, 2021 [1886448]

American Hospital Association, et al.,

Appellants

v.

Alex M. Azar, II, in his official capacity as
Secretary of Health and Human Services,

Appellee

M A N D A T E

In accordance with the judgment of December 29, 2020, and pursuant to Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 41, this constitutes the formal mandate of this court.

FOR THE COURT:

Mark J. Langer, Clerk

BY: /s/
Daniel J. Reidy
Deputy Clerk

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v.

ALEX M. AZAR, II, IN HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES,
APPELLEE

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the District of Columbia
(No. 1:19-cv-03619)

Before: TATEL and GARLAND*, *Circuit Judges*, and EDWARDS, *Senior Circuit Judge*

J U D G M E N T

This cause came on to be heard on the record on appeal from the United States District Court for the District of Columbia and was argued by counsel. On consideration thereof, it is

ORDERED and **ADJUDGED** that the District Court's grant of summary judgment to the Secretary be affirmed, in accordance with the opinion of the court filed herein this date.

Per Curiam

FOR THE COURT:
Mark J. Langer, Clerk

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Date: December 29, 2020

Opinion for the court filed by Circuit Judge Tatel.

* Judge Garland was a member of the panel at the time this case was argued but did not participate in the final disposition of the case.