

**IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE ELEVENTH CIRCUIT**

STATE OF FLORIDA, et al.,

Plaintiffs-Appellees,

CATHOLIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION,

Plaintiff-Appellee-
Cross-Appellant,

No. 24-12826

v.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN
SERVICES, et al.,

Defendants-Appellants.

UNOPPOSED MOTION TO DISMISS APPEAL

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 42(b)(2), defendants-appellants the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services, the Director of the Office for Civil Rights, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, and the Administrator of the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services move to dismiss their appeal, with each party to bear its own costs. Plaintiffs-appellees the State of Florida, Florida Agency for Health Care Administration, and Florida Department of Management Services do not oppose this motion. Plaintiff-appellee-cross-appellant Catholic Medical Association do not oppose this “motion for HHS to dismiss HHS’s appeal.”

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDED CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PERSONS AND CORPORATE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Pursuant to Eleventh Circuit Rule 26.1-1, counsel for defendants-appellants-cross-appellees the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services; Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, in his official capacity; Administrator, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, in her official capacity; Director, Office for Civil Rights, in his official capacity certify that the following have an interest in the outcome of this appeal:

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