

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY
CENTRAL DIVISION**

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

MICHAEL ADAMS, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 3:26-CV-00019-CHB

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Plaintiff United States of America, by and through the Acting Attorney General, appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit from this Court's Memorandum Opinion and Order granting the Defendants' and Intervenor-Defendants' Motions to Dismiss and denying the United States' Motion to Compel (ECF 66) and Judgment (ECF 67) entered in this action on July 23, 2026.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on July 24, 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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