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“VETERANS STANDING UP FOR EACH OTHER”

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THE SEEMINGLY UNENDING SAGA OF OUR CLASS ACTION LAWSUIT

On Tuesday of next week we will once again have our case heard before the US Court of Appeals, 9th Circuit.

The hearing is at 11:AM in Courtroom One of the James R Browning Courthouse, 95 Seventh Street, San Francisco, CA.

This hearing is in response to an appeal by the VA to overturn the ruling by the 3-judge panel on 10 May 2011.

The case will be heard this time *en banc*, i.e. before a panel of 11 judges. Only an *en banc* panel can overrule a previous finding by a standard 3-judge panel.

We would like to see as many of our supporters in the courtroom as possible. If you will be in the San Francisco area or nearby on Tuesday, 13 December, please consider attending.

If you cannot attend, but wish to see the proceedings, the 9th circuit films its proceedings and makes them available to the public.

The following is quoted from the site of the 9th Circuit on its media page

Recordings appear on this site by 12:00 p.m. PT the day after argument.

[Windows Media Player](#) is required to listen to audio oral arguments.

Use this page to sort and search for Oral Arguments (audio, video) by case name, case number, panel, hearing location or hearing date. To search, click on the Advanced Search button. To find a case by its number, enter the case number (Example: 01-57131) and click the Search button. To find a case by hearing date, enter the 8-digit date (Example: 01/05/2008). **For cases heard before an en banc panel, type the case number followed by EB. (Example: 06-54321EB).**

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Browse to the 9th Circuit site at <http://www.ca9.uscourts.gov/media>

Our case number is 08-16728 so you would search on 08-16728EB

Once again, and with reluctance, we appeal for financial support so that we may assist our counsel in this important effort. If you can help us out, please contribute via our website donation page:

<http://www.vuft.org/donate.html>