

**IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR VETERANS CLAIMS**

CM,	)	
Petitioner,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Vet. App. No. 25-4924
	)	
DOUGLAS A. COLLINS,	)	
Secretary of Veterans Affairs,	)	
Respondent.	)	

SECRETARY’S NOTICE

Respondent, Douglas A. Collins, Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Secretary), respectfully provides this Court with notice of certain information and recent developments the Secretary believes are potentially pertinent to this litigation.¹

- On June 13, 2025, the Veterans Health Administration (VHA) determined that Petitioner is eligible for continuation of hormone therapy under VHA Notice 2025-01(1).
- On June 13, 2025, Petitioner was seen by a VHA pharmacist for follow-up hormone management, and the care process was restarted.
- On June 13, 2025, a VA physician approved Estradiol gel, the medication Petitioner sought.

The Secretary submits this Notice, and the attached documents, pursuant to *Solze v. Shinseki*, 26 Vet.App. 299 (2013).

Respectfully submitted,

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¹ The Secretary does not concede that this Court has subject matter jurisdiction over this petition or waive any challenges or arguments relevant to this Court’s authority to hear this petition or grant relief based on the same. The Secretary provides this notice solely to inform the Court of information and developments of which he believes the Court should be aware.

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