

THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

THE NEW YORK TIMES COMPANY, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE, a/k/a
DEPARTMENT OF WAR, *et al.*,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 26-1690 (PLF)

ORDER

Upon consideration of the parties' joint motion to stay proceedings pending appeal, and good cause having been shown, it is hereby

ORDERED that the motion is **GRANTED**; and it is further

ORDERED that all proceedings in this Court are **STAYED** pending further order of the Court, including Defendants' deadline to answer or otherwise respond to the Complaint; and it is further

ORDERED that within 14 days of a decision in D.C. Circuit case No. 26-5253, the parties shall file a joint status report proposing a schedule for further proceedings.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 11, 2026



Paul L. Friedman
U.S. District Judge
District of Columbia