NOTE: This disposition is nonprecedential.

## United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit

## LORENZO E. CARDWELL,

Claimant-Appellant,

 $\mathbf{v}$ .

## ERIC K. SHINSEKI, SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS,

 $Respondent \hbox{-} Appellee.$ 

2010-7110

Appeal from the United States Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims in Case No. 08-2397, Judge Alan G. Lance, Sr.

## **JUDGMENT**

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THIS CAUSE having been heard and considered, it is

ORDERED and ADJUDGED:

PER CURIAM (NEWMAN, LOURIE, and MOORE, Circuit Judges).

AFFIRMED. See Fed. Cir. R. 36.

ENTERED BY ORDER OF THE COURT

August 18, 2011 Date /s/ Jan Horbaly Jan Horbaly Clerk