

NOTE: This disposition is nonprecedential.

**United States Court of Appeals
for the Federal Circuit**

LEO JOE COOPER, JR.,
Claimant-Appellant

v.

**ROBERT A. MCDONALD, SECRETARY OF
VETERANS AFFAIRS,**
Respondent-Appellee

2014-7106

Appeal from the United States Court of Appeals for
Veterans Claims in No. 13-2048, Judge Mary J. Schoelen.

JUDGMENT

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THIS CAUSE having been heard and considered, it is

ORDERED and ADJUDGED:

PER CURIAM (PROST, *Chief Judge*, NEWMAN and WALLACH, *Circuit Judges*).

AFFIRMED. See Fed. Cir. R. 36.

ENTERED BY ORDER OF THE COURT

July 15, 2015
Date

/s/ Daniel E. O'Toole
Daniel E. O'Toole
Clerk of Court