IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN Northern Division

MACKINAC CENTER FOR PUBLIC POLICY,

Plaintiff,

v.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION;

MIGUEL CARDONA, Secretary, U.S. Department of Education, in his official capacity; and

Defendants.

CIVIL CASE NO. 1:23-CV-10795

Honorable Thomas L. Ludington, United States District Judge

NOTICE OF APPEAL

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Plaintiff Mackinac Center for Public Policy hereby appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit from this Court's Judgment and Order (ECF No. 30 and 31) of July 18, 2024, dismissing Plaintiff's Amended Complaint (ECF No. 22).

September 13, 2024

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, on September 13, 2024, a true and correct copy of the Notice of Appeal was filed electronically through the Court's CM/ECF system, to be served on counsel for all parties by operation of the Court's electronic filing system.

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