

United States Court of Appeals
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

No. 99-5382

September Term, 2000

Larry D. Allen,
Plaintiff-Appellant

Filed On: November 16, 2000 [556890]

v.

Madeleine D. Albright, Secretary, United States
Department of State, and Foreign Service Grievance Board,

Defendants-Appellees

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the District of Columbia
(CA No. 97-3058)

Before: Ginsburg, Sentelle, *and* Henderson, *Circuit Judges.*

J U D G M E N T

This appeal was considered on the record from the United States District Court for the District of Columbia and on the briefs of the parties. The court has determined that the issues presented occasion no need for oral argument. *See* D.C. Cir. Rule 34(j). It is

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the district court's order granting defendants' Motion for Summary Judgment and denying Plaintiff's Cross-Motion for Summary Judgment be affirmed substantially for the reasons stated by the district court.

The clerk is directed to withhold issuance of the mandate herein until seven days after disposition of any timely petition for rehearing. *See* D.C. Cir. Rule 41.

Per curiam
FOR THE COURT:
Mark J. Langer, Clerk

By:

Deputy Clerk