STATE OF MICHIGAN
COURT OF CLAIMS

LARRY DARNELL SMITH,

Plaintiff,

v

STATE OF MICHIGAN,

Defendant.

Docket No. 21-000040-MP

Honorable Randy J. Wallace

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ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANT'S MOTION FOR BOND PENDING APPEAL

At a session of said Court, held in the city of _____, County of _____, State of Michigan on June 1, 2026

PRESENT: Hon. Randy J. Wallace, Court of Claims Judge

This matter came before the Court based upon the Defendant State of Michigan's Motion for Bond Pending Appeal Pursuant to MCR 7.209. This Court

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has reviewed the motion, supporting brief, and all pleadings filed in support of and opposition to the motion, and the Court being sufficiently advised in the premises. Now, therefore,

IT IS ORDERED that the Defendant's Motion is **GRANTED.**

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that enforcement of this Court's Final Order After Hearing on Order to Show Cause entered on April 14, 2026 is **STAYED** pending the resolution of Plaintiff's appeal in the Michigan Court of Appeals and any further appellate proceedings, unless otherwise ordered by this Court or the appellate courts.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the stay is conditioned upon Plaintiff filing a bond in the amount of $935,000 as required by MCR 7.209(E)(2)(a) and such bond complies will all requirements of MCR 3.604 and MCR 7.209.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, upon filing and approval of the bond, all collection efforts, execution proceedings, garnishments, levies, enforcement actions, and supplementary proceedings relating to this Court's April 14, 2026 Final Order After Hearing on Order to Show Cause shall be stayed pending disposition of the appeal.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the bond shall remain in effect until final disposition of all appellate proceedings, dismissal of the appeal, or further order of this Court or the appellate courts.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Court retains jurisdiction to enforce, modify, or amend the bond or stay pursuant to MCR 7.208(G) and MCR 7.209(C)

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IT IS SO ORDERED

Date: June 1, 2026

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