

**United States Court of Appeals**  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

**No. 05-5269**

**September Term, 2004**

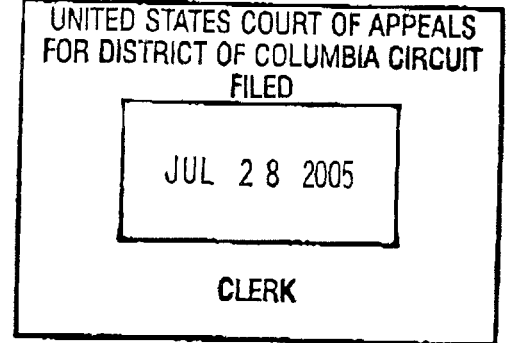
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Elouise Pepion Cobell, et al.,  
Appellees

v.

Gale A. Norton, Secretary of the Interior, et al.,  
Appellants

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**BEFORE:** Sentelle, Henderson, and Brown, Circuit Judges

**ORDER**

Upon consideration of the emergency motion for stay, it is

**ORDERED** that the district court's order filed July 12, 2005 be stayed pending further order of this court. The purpose of this administrative stay is to give the court sufficient opportunity to consider the merits of the emergency motion for stay, and it should not be construed in any way as a ruling on the merits of that motion. See D.C. Circuit Handbook of Practice and Internal Procedures 32-33 (2002).

**Per Curiam**

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