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Fifth Circuit Denies Rehearing in *Abigail Fisher v. Univ. of Texas*

(Washington, DC) Today, the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals denied a rehearing in *Abigail Fisher v. Univ. of Texas*. The case was on remand to the Fifth Circuit from the US Supreme Court.

Edward Blum, president of the Project on Fair Representation, said, “Abby Fisher and her family are disappointed with the court’s denial for a rehearing, but remember that they have been in this posture before. This case will be appealed back to the US Supreme Court.”

Blum added, “The justices had to correct the Fifth Circuit’s errors the first time Abby Fisher took her case to the high court and we look forward to making our arguments to them once again.”

Blum concluded, “Judge Garza’s dissent from the three-judge panel was faithful to the Supreme Court’s instructions and we believe his opinion will eventually prevail.”