

Fifth Circuit Court of Appeal
State of Louisiana

NO. 26-C-186

PAULINE M. UMBACH

versus

JEFFERSON PARISH HOSPITAL DISTRICT NO. 2, ET AL

ON APPLICATION FOR REHEARING

September 16, 2026

DENIED WITH REASONS

FHW
JGG
TSM



WICKER, J.

Relator seeks reconsideration of this Court's June 26, 2026 denial of her writ application number 26-C-186.

Uniform Rules-Courts of Appeal, Rule (URCA) 2-18.7 provides as follows:

2-18.7. When Rehearing Will Be Considered

An application for rehearing will be considered in cases where the court has:

- (A) Granted a writ application on the merits;
- (B) Dismissed an appeal; or
- (C) Ruled on the merits of an appeal.

URCA Rule 4-9 provides that "Rules 2-18.1 through 2-18.7 apply to requests for rehearings related to writ applications."

Because we did not grant Relator's writ application on the merits, she is not entitled to a rehearing. Therefore, Relator's application for rehearing is **DENIED**.

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