

NOTE: This order is nonprecedential.

**United States Court of Appeals  
for the Federal Circuit**

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**PAUL E. ARLTON, DAVID J. ARLTON,**  
*Plaintiffs-Appellants*

v.

**AEROVIRONMENT, INC.,**  
*Defendant-Cross-Appellant*

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2021-2049, 2024-1084, 2024-1159

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Appeals from the United States District Court for the  
Central District of California in No. 2:20-cv-07438-AB-  
GJS, Judge Andre Birotte, Jr.

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**ON PETITION FOR PANEL REHEARING**

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Before PROST, CUNNINGHAM, and STARK, *Circuit Judges*.  
PER CURIAM.

**O R D E R**

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

The Appellants' petition for panel rehearing (ECF No. 104) is granted in part only to the extent the panel will make the following changes to the language of its nonprecedential opinion:

On page 3, line 11 change “should” to “shall”

On page 3, line 14 strike “Phase I and Phase II”

On page 3, line 15 change “contracts” to “contract awards”

On page 3, line 15 strike “it”

On page 3, line 18 add “in connection with this technology” after “work” and before the comma

On page 8, line 28 change “AeroVironment” to “the Arltons”

On page 8, line 31 strike “a”

On page 8, line 32 change “protest” to “an appropriate”

On page 8, line 32 add “i.e.,” after the open parenthesis and before “not”

The remainder of the petition for panel rehearing is denied.

FOR THE COURT



Jarrett B. Perlow  
Clerk of Court

April 17, 2026  
Date