

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
EASTERN DIVISION**

State of Missouri *ex rel.* Catherine L.  
Hanaway, Attorney General of Missouri,

*Plaintiff,*

v.

Starbucks Corp.,

*Defendant.*

Case No. 4:25-cv-00165

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

The State of Missouri *ex rel.* Catherine L. Hanaway, Attorney General of Missouri, gives notice of appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit from this Court's memorandum and order granting Defendant's motion to dismiss. Doc. 40; Doc. 41.

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Respectfully submitted,

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