

SUPREME COURT
STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
FILED

IN THE SUPREME COURT

OCT 14 2025

OF THE

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

Shirley A. Johnson Legal
Clerk

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ZHI GANG ZHANG,	)	ORDER DIRECTING ISSUANCE OF
Plaintiff and Appellant,	)	JUDGMENT OF AFFIRMANCE
vs.	)	
	)	#31036
LING MA,	)	
Defendant and Appellee.	)	
	)	

The Court considered all of the briefs filed in the above-entitled matter, together with the appeal record, and concluded pursuant to SDCL 15-26A-87.1(A), that it is manifest on the face of the briefs and the record that the appeal is without merit on the ground that the issues on appeal are clearly controlled by settled South Dakota law or federal law binding upon the states (SDCL 15-26A-87.1(A)(1)), now, therefore, it is

ORDERED that a judgment affirming the order of the circuit court be entered forthwith.

DATED at Pierre, South Dakota, this 14th day of October, 2025.

BY THE COURT:

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Clerk of the Supreme Court
(SEAL)

[Signature]
Steven R. Jensen, Chief Justice

PARTICIPATING: Chief Justice Steven R. Jensen and Justices Janine M. Kern,
Mark E. Salter, Patricia J. DeVaney and Scott P. Myren.