

No. 17- \_\_\_\_\_

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IN THE  
Supreme Court of the United States

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RODNEY REED,

*Petitioner,*

v.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

*Respondent.*

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AFFIDAVIT OF WORD COUNT

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As required by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(h), I declare that the PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI in case No. 17-\_\_\_\_\_ contains 8818 words, excluding parts of the document that are exempted by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(d).

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on the **29th** day of **January, 2018**.

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This instrument was acknowledged before me on 1/29/18 by Nicole A. DiSalvo.

Signature of notarial officer

*Lauren Michelle Karpinski*  
My commission expires: 2/25/19

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