NO. 17-9564 IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

ETHERIA VERDELL JACKSON,

Petitioner,

v.

STATE OF FLORIDA,

Respondent.

ON PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE FLORIDA SUPREME COURT

BRIEF IN OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI

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