

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

No. _____

BILL G. NICHOLS, ON BEHALF OF HIMSELF AND ALL OTHERS SIMILARLY SITUATED,
Petitioner,

v.

CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, LLC AND CHESAPEAKE EXPLORATION, LLC,
Respondents.

CERTIFICATE OF WORD COUNT

Pursuant to Rule 33.1(h) of the Rules of this Court, I certify that the accompanying Petition for a Writ of Certiorari to the United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit, which was prepared using Century Schoolbook 12-point typeface, contains **8,649** words, excluding the parts of the document that are exempted by Rule 33.1(d). This certificate was prepared in reliance on the word-count function of the word-processing system (Microsoft Office Word 2013) used to prepare the document.

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

Executed on August 3, 2018.



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