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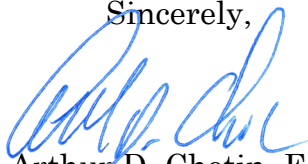
**RE: No. 18-247: ANIMAL LEGAL DEFENSE FUND, DEFENDERS OF WILDLIFE, AND
CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY V. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF
HOMELAND SECURITY, ET AL.**

Dear Sir or Madam:

As required by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(h), I certify that the Brief of *Amici Curiae* Nine Members of the U.S. House of Representatives in Support of Petitioners referenced above contains **4,556** words, excluding the parts of the document that are exempted by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(d).

As a member of the Supreme Court Bar, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Sincerely,



Arthur D. Chotin, Esq.
Principal