In The Supreme Court of the United States

ROBERT A. RUCHO, ET AL.,

Appellants,

v.

COMMON CAUSE, ET AL.,,

Appellees.

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As required by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(h), I declare that the **Brief of Amicus Curiae Stephen M. Shapiro in Support of Appellees** in **Rucho v. Common Cause, Case No. 18-422,** contains **8,505** 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.

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