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IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES  
OCTOBER TERM 2018

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ROBERT A. ESPINOZA,

PETITIONER,

vs.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

RESPONDENT.

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**PROOF OF SERVICE**

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State of Illinois                                 )  
  )       ss  
County of Peoria                                 )

THOMAS W. PATTON, being first duly sworn on oath, deposes and states as follows:

1.       On July 5, 2018, the original and ten copies of the petition for writ of certiorari and motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* in the above-entitled case were deposited with FedEx Ground in Peoria, Peoria County, Illinois, properly addressed to

the Clerk of the United States Supreme Court and within the time for filing said petition for writ of certiorari.

2. An additional copy of the petition for writ of certiorari and motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* were served upon the following counsel of record for Respondent:

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