In the Supreme Court of the United States

CHARLES RUSSELL RHINES,

Petitioner,

v.

DARIN YOUNG,

Respondent.

ON PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE BRIEF AND BRIEF OF AMICI CURIAE LAW PROFESSORS IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONER

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Motion of *Amici Curiae* For Leave to File in Support of Petitioner

Forty-seven law professors (listed in the accompanying appendix) (collectively, *Amici*) respectfully move under Supreme Court Rule 37.2(b) for leave of Court to file the accompanying brief in support of the petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case. All parties were timely notified of proposed *Amici's* intent to file this amicus brief. Counsel for Petitioner consented to the filing of this brief. Counsel for Respondent denied *Amici's* request for consent. Proposed *Amici* thus file this motion seeking leave to file the amicus brief.

Amici have dedicated their careers to teaching and writing about Evidence and/or Criminal Procedure. Amici's interest lies in drawing a parallel between the split that developed among courts following this Court's opinion in Batson v. Kentucky and the split that has developed among courts following this Court's opinion in Pena-Rodriguez v. Colorado. Just as the Court granted certiorari in J.E.B. v. Alabama ex. Rel. T.B. to resolve the split after Batson, Amici urge this Court to grant certiorari here to resolve the split after Pena-Rodriguez.

For the foregoing reasons, the motion should be granted.

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