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Scott S. Harris, Clerk
U.S. Supreme Court
One First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20543

**Re: *Patel v. Patel*, No. ___-
Rule 12.6 Statement of Disinterested Parties**

Dear Clerk:

Pursuant to this Court’s Rule 12.6, petitioner Shraddha Patel hereby notifies the Court of four original defendants who did not participate in the appellate proceedings to be reviewed:

- Manu Patel;
- Suresh Patel;
- Prabudas Patel; and
- Nisha Patel.

The District Court dismissed Manu Patel and Suresh Patel for lack of personal jurisdiction, and Prabudas Patel and Nisha Patel were voluntarily dismissed in the District Court. Petitioner does not have an address for Manu Patel or Suresh Patel, who are unrelated, or challenge their dismissal.

Petitioner does not believe that Rule 12.6 applies (*i.e.*, the four are not “parties to the proceeding in the court whose judgment is sought to be reviewed” within the meaning of Rule 12.6). To the extent that this Court would consider these original defendants as nominally parties below, petitioner notifies the Court of petitioner’s belief that they have no interest in the outcome of the petition.

Please contact me with any questions about this matter.

Yours sincerely,

/s/ Lawrence J. Joseph
Lawrence J. Joseph

cc: *pro se* respondents
George E. Tuttle, Jr., counsel for Nisha and Prabudas Patel