

No. 19A996

IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

EDWARD THOMAS, WARDEN,
CENTRAL PRISON, RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA

PETITIONER,

v.

WILLIAM LEROY BARNES,

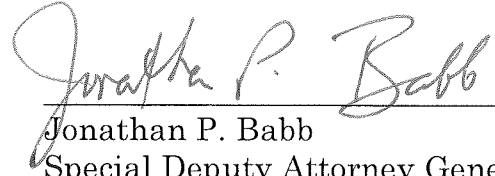
RESPONDENT.

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

[CAPITAL CASE]

I, Jonathan P. Babb, Special Deputy Attorney General for the State of North Carolina and a member of the bar of this Court, hereby certify that the State of North Carolina's Petition for Writ of Certiorari is in compliance with Rule 33 in that it is printed in twelve-point Century Schoolbook font and it neither exceeds 40 pages, nor does the body to the petition, including footnotes and citations, contain more than 9,000 words as indicated by Microsoft Word, the program used to prepare the brief. The Petition for Writ of Certiorari contains 4,521 words.

This the 15th day of May, 2020.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jonathan P. Babb". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

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