

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE AIR FORCE LEGAL OPERATIONS AGENCY (AFLOA)

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Air Force Appellate Defense Division 1500 West Perimeter Road, Suite 1100 Joint Base Andrews, Maryland 20762

Scott S. Harris Clerk of Court Supreme Court of the United States 1 First Street, N.E. Washington, DC 20543

RE: Petition for Writ of Certiorari, Richards v. Donovan et al.

Sir,

Please find enclosed forty (40) copies of the Petition for a Writ of Certiorari in the above-styled case. In accordance with Rule 40.3 of this Honorable Court's Rules, Petitioner may proceed without payment of fees or costs or furnishing security therefore and without filing an affidavit for indigence.

Attached to this letter are the required proof of service on the Solicitor General and proof of compliance with the word count.

Please contact me with any questions concerning this matter. Thank you.

Very Respectfully Submitted,

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2 Attachments:

- 1. Certificate of Compliance
- 2. Certificate of Service