

IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES  
OCTOBER TERM, 2019  
No. \_\_\_\_\_

AHMED ALI, \_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner,  
- VS -  
RANDY GROUNDS, Warden,  
Respondent.

PROOF OF SERVICE

STATE OF CALIFORNIA        )  
                                  ) ss.  
COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO        )

JOHN LANAHAN, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

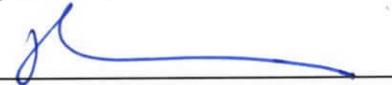
That he is a member of the Bar of the Supreme Court of the United States;

That on 30 September, 2019, the petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit and the motion for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in the above-entitled case were deposited in a United States Post Office mailbox located in San Diego, California, with first class postage prepaid, properly addressed to the Clerk of the Supreme Court of the United States and within the time allowed for filing said petition;

That an additional copy of the petition, motion for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis*, and the affidavit of the proof of mailing of the petition was served electronically on counsel for respondent:

Attorney General, State of California  
sdag.docketing@doj.ca.gov

Dated at San Diego, California, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2019.

  
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JOHN LANAHAN, Affiant