

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

No. 19-

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EDDIE N. DELA CRUZ,

*Petitioner,*

*v.*

ROBERT WILKIE, SECRETARY OF  
VETERANS AFFAIRS,

*Respondent.*

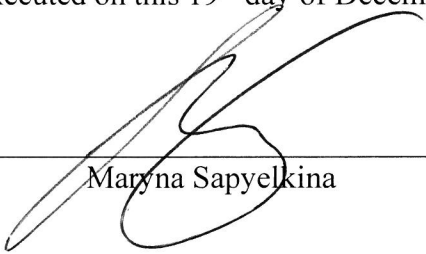
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**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE**

As required by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(h), I certify that the document contains 4,918 words, excluding the parts of the document that are exempted by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(d).

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of December 2019.

  
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Maryna Sapyelkina

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of December 2019.



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