

IN THE  
**Supreme Court of the United States**

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
*Petitioner,*

v.

JOSE LUIS VAELLO-MADERO,  
*Respondent.*

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**On Writ of Certiorari to the United States  
Court of Appeals for the First Circuit**

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**BRIEF OF AMICI CURIAE PLAINTIFFS IN  
PEÑA MARTÍNEZ v. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF  
HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES IN SUPPORT  
OF RESPONDENT**

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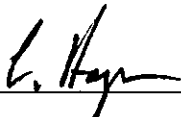
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