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**IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA**

GARY SIMMONDS

Petitioner,

v.

TERRITORY OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS,

Respondent.

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Kelechukwu Chidi Onyejekwe, Appellate Public Defender at the Office of the Territorial Public Defender, do declare under penalty of perjury that I am a member of the bar of this Court and appellate counsel for petitioner, Gary Simmonds, and I do further declare that on this date, Friday, July 16, 2021, as required by Supreme Court Rule 29, I have served the enclosed MOTION FOR


LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS and PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI on each party to the above proceeding or that party's counsel, and on every other person required to be served, by depositing an envelope containing the above documents in the United States mail properly addressed to each of them and with first-class postage prepaid, or by delivery to a commercial carrier for delivery within three (3) calendar days.

The names and addresses of those served are as follows:

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

Executed on Friday, July 16, 2021.


Kelechukwu Chidi Onyejekwe
Appellate Public Defender
Office of the Territorial Public Defender
Counsel of Record