IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

No. 21A _____

THOMAS H. BUFFINGTON, Applicant

v.

DENIS McDONOUGH, Secretary of Veterans Affairs

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Richard Samp, counsel of record for Applicant and a member of the bar of this Court, hereby certify that on this 22nd day of October, 2021, I sent Applicant's **Application for an Extension of Time within which to File a Petition for a Writ of Certiorari** by first-class mail, postage prepaid, and by email, to the following:

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