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In The  
**Supreme Court of the United States**

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CARLOS VEGA,

*Petitioner,*

v.

TERENCE B. TEKOH,

*Respondent.*

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ON PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE  
UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

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**PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI**

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**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE**

As required by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(h), I certify that the Petition for a Writ of Certiorari in the above-referenced case contains 8,722 words, excluding the parts of the petition exempted by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(d).

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

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