

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

STATE OF ALABAMA,

*Petitioner,*

v.

MARCUS BERNARD WILLIAMS,

*Respondent.*

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

**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE**

As required by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(h), I, Andrew N. Ferguson, a member of the bar of this Court, certify that the accompanying Brief of the Commonwealth of Virginia and 17 Other States as *Amici Curiae* in Support of Petitioner contains 5,098 words, excluding the parts of the document that are exempted by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(d).

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