No. 23A770

IN THE Supreme Court of the United States

DEARNTA LAVON THOMAS, Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Respondent.

On Petition for a Writ of Certiorari to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Frances H. Pratt, a member of the Bar of this Court, hereby certify that on this 15th day of March, 2024, all parties required by the Rules of this Court to be served have been served. A copy of the Application for Further Extension of Time in Which to File Petition for a Writ of Certiorari in the above-captioned case was mailed

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Dated: March 15, 2024

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