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

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HECLOUIS NIEVES-DÍAZ, PETITIONER,

*v.*

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, RESPONDENT.

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

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