

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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

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MAHLON PRATER, JR.,

*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 Sixth Circuit

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