In the Supreme Court of the United States

STATES OF ALASKA, SOUTH CAROLINA, AND TEXAS.

Applicants,

 $\mathbf{v}.$

MIGUEL CARDONA, SECRETARY OF EDUCATION ET AL., Respondents.

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Aaron L. Nielson, do swear or declare that on this date, July 19, 2024, as required by Supreme Court Rule 29, I have served the enclosed **Reply in Support of Application For Vacatur of the Tenth Circuit Stay** on each party to the above proceeding or that party's counsel, and on every other person required to be served, by depositing an envelope containing the above documents in the United States mail properly addressed to each of them and with first-class postage prepaid, or by delivery to a third-party commercial carrier for delivery within 3 calendar days.

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Solicitor General of the United States Room 5614 Department of Justice, 950 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W. Washington, D. C. 20530–0001 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on July 19, 2024.

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