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Scott S. Harris, Clerk
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Washington, D.C. 20543

**Re: Celestine G. Thompson v. Charles Teebagy, et al.
No. 17-7434**

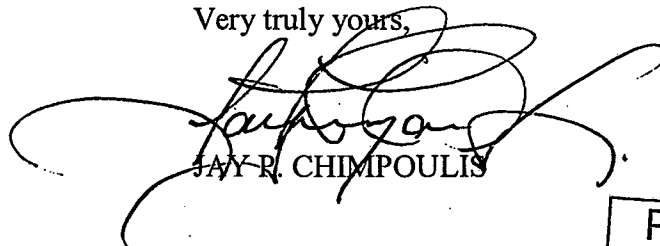
Dear Mr. Harris:

Enclosed please find a fully executed waiver on behalf of my client, Carlos Gadia, MD. Dr. Gadia was mistakenly listed in Ms. Thompson's Petition for a writ of certiorari as counsel for respondent. He is actually an interested party and was the named defendant in the underlying state court action. As a result, this office was not served with the petition and only became aware of its existence indirectly.

Although this office was Dr. Gadia's counsel of record during the State Court action and the District Court action filed in the Southern District of Florida, we are not presently a member of the bar of this court. We therefore do not have access to the court's electronic filing system. Should the court request a response, one will be filed by an authorized bar member.

Thank you for your kind consideration.

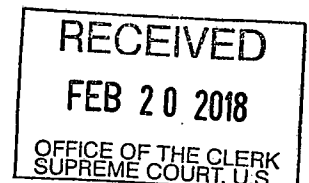
Very truly yours,


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Enclosures

cc: Celestine G. Thompson

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Supreme Court of the United States

No. 17-7434

Celestine G. Thompson
(Petitioner)

v.

Charles Teebagy, et al.
(Respondents)

I DO NOT INTEND TO FILE A RESPONSE to the petition for a writ of certiorari unless one is requested by the Court.

Please check the appropriate boxes:

- ☐ Please enter my appearance as Counsel of Record for all respondents.
- ☐ There are multiple respondents, and I do not represent all respondents. Please enter my appearance as Counsel of Record for the following respondent(s):

☐ I am a member of the Bar of the Supreme Court of the United States.

☒ I am not presently a member of the Bar of this Court. Should a response be requested, the response will be filed by a Bar member.

Signature

Date:

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SEND A COPY OF THIS FORM TO PETITIONER'S COUNSEL OR TO PETITIONER IF PRO SE. PLEASE INDICATE BELOW THE NAME(S) OF THE RECIPIENT(S) OF A COPY OF THIS FORM. NO ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE IS REQUIRED.

Cc:

Celestine G. Thompson
437 N.W. 19th CT
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Obtain status of case on the docket. By phone at 202-479-3034 or via the internet at <http://www.supremecourtus.gov>. Have the Supreme Court docket number available.

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To Carlos A. Gadia Counsel for Respondent:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Rule 12.3 that a petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-entitled case was filed in the Supreme Court of the United States on January 4, 2018, and placed on the docket January 17, 2018. Pursuant to Rule 15.3, the due date for a brief in opposition is Friday, February 16, 2018. If the due date is a Saturday, Sunday, or federal legal holiday, the brief is due on the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or federal legal holiday.

Beginning November 13, 2017, parties represented by counsel must submit filings through the Supreme Court's electronic filing system. Paper remains the official form of filing, and electronic filing is in addition to the existing paper submission requirement. Attorneys must register for the system in advance, and the registration process may take several days. Further information about the system can be found at <https://www.supremecourt.gov/filingandrules/electronicfiling.aspx>.

Unless the Solicitor General of the United States represents the respondent, a waiver form is enclosed and should be sent to the Clerk only in the event you do not intend to file a response to the petition.

Only counsel of record will receive notification of the Court's action in this case. Counsel of record must be a member of the Bar of this Court.

Ms. Celestine G. Thompson
437 N.W. 19th Court
Pompano Beach, FL 33060

NOTE: This notice is for notification purposes only, and neither the original nor a copy should be filed in the