

IN THE
Supreme Court of the United States

IN RE: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, *et al.*,
Petitioners.

On Petition for a Writ of Mandamus to the United
States District Court for the Northern District of
California

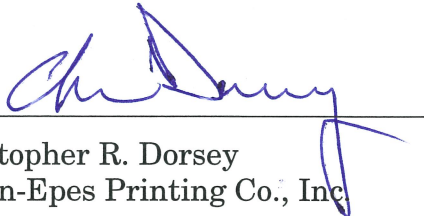
**BRIEF AMICI CURIAE OF
NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL,
INC., AND PUBLIC CITIZEN, INC., IN
OPPOSITION TO THE PETITION FOR WRIT OF
MANDAMUS**

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