

In the  
Supreme Court of the United States

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NICHOLAS BERNARD ACKLIN,  
*Petitioner,*

v.

STATE OF ALABAMA,  
*Respondent.*

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