

In The
Supreme Court of the United States

ALTERA CORPORATION & SUBSIDIARIES,
Petitioners,

v.

COMMISSIONER OF INTERNAL REVENUE,
Respondent.

ON PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE
UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

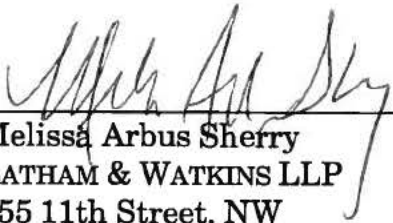
**BRIEF FOR PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS LLP, DELOITTE TAX LLP,
AND KPMG LLP AS AMICI CURIAE IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONERS**

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

As required by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(h), I certify that the Brief for PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, Deloitte Tax LLP, and KPMG LLP as Amici Curiae in Support of Petitioners in the above-referenced case contains 4,643 words, excluding the portions that are exempted by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(d).

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

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