

IN THE  
**Supreme Court of the United States**

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APRIL HUGHES, ET AL., PETITIONERS,

v.

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, ET AL.

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*ON WRIT OF CERTIORARI  
TO THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE SEVENTH CIRCUIT*

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**BRIEF OF INVESTMENT COMPANY INSTITUTE AS  
AMICUS CURIAE IN SUPPORT OF RESPONDENTS**

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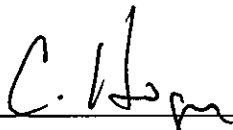
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