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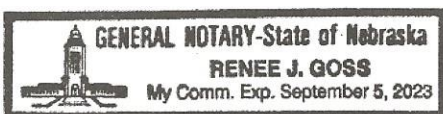
v.

A. PENDER MAKIN,  
in her Official Capacity as Commissioner  
of the Maine Department of Education,  
Respondent.

**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE**

As required by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(h), I certify that the BRIEF OF RESPONDENT in the above entitled case complies with the typeface requirement of Supreme Court Rule 33.1(b), being prepared in New Century Schoolbook 12 point for the text and 10 point for the footnotes, and this brief contains 12972 words, excluding the parts that are exempted by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(d), as needed.

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