

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

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NEW YORK STATE RIFLE & PISTOL ASSOCIATION, *et al.*,  
*Petitioners,*

v.

KEVIN P. BRUEN, *et al.*,  
*Respondents.*

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

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**BRIEF FOR THE STATES OF CALIFORNIA, CONNECTICUT,  
DELAWARE, ILLINOIS, MAINE, MARYLAND, MASSACHU-  
SETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, NEW JERSEY, NEW MEX-  
ICO, OREGON, PENNSYLVANIA, RHODE ISLAND,  
VERMONT, VIRGINIA, WASHINGTON, AND WISCONSIN,  
AND THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA AS AMICI CURIAE IN  
SUPPORT OF RESPONDENTS**

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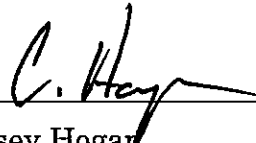
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