

No. 21-____

IN THE
Supreme Court of the United States

MARK R. SMITH,
Petitioner,

v.

KATE BIEKER, CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, SUPERIOR
COURT, COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA; AFSCME LOCAL
2700; ROB BONTA, ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE STATE
OF CALIFORNIA,
Respondents.

**On Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the United
States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit**

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