

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

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA EX REL.  
THOMAS PROCTOR,  
*Petitioner,*

v.

SAFEWAY, INC.,  
*Respondent.*

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

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**BRIEF IN OPPOSITION**

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