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SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

No.22-1175

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XIULU RUAN AND JOHN PATRICK COUCH,

Petitioners,

v.

UNITED STATES,

Respondent,

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STATE OF NEW YORK)

COUNTY OF NEW YORK)

I, Simone Cintron, being duly sworn according to law and being over the age of 18, upon my oath depose and say that:

I am retained by Counsel of Record for *Petitioners*.

That on the 13th day of October, 2023, I served the within *Reply Brief for Petitioners* in the above-captioned matter upon:

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by sending three copies of same, addressed to each individual respectively, and enclosed in a properly addressed wrapper, through the United States Postal Service, by Express Mail, postage prepaid. An electronic version was also served by email to each individual.

That on the same date as above, I sent to this Court forty copies of the within *Reply Brief for Petitioners* through the United States Postal Service by Express Mail, postage prepaid. In addition, the brief has been submitted through the Court's electronic filing system.

All parties required to be served have been served.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on this 13th day of October, 2023.



Simone Cintron

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 13th day of October, 2023.



MARIANA BRAYLOVSKIY
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