

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

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BRIAN TINGEY  
*Petitioner,*

v.

ROBERT W. FERGUSON, IN HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS  
ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE STATE OF WASHINGTON,  
*ET AL.,*  
*Respondents.*

and

EQUAL RIGHTS WASHINGTON,  
*Respondent-Intervenor*

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*ON PETITION FOR WRIT CERTIORARI TO THE  
UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT*

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**BRIEF FOR DAVID WIEDIS AS AMICUS  
CURIAE IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONER**

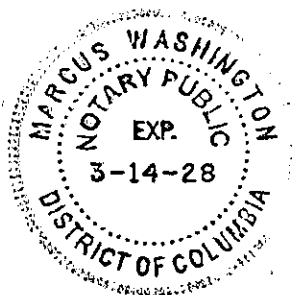
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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25th of April 2023.



  
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NOTARY PUBLIC  
District of Columbia  
My commission expires March 14, 2028.