

IN THE
Supreme Court of the United States

MERRICK B. GARLAND, ATTORNEY GENERAL, ET AL.,
Petitioners,

v.

MICHAEL CARGILL,
Respondent.

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

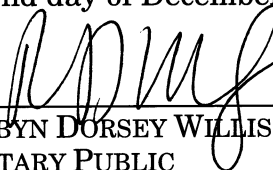
**BRIEF OF CHICAGO, ELEVEN OTHER CITIES
AND CITY OFFICIALS, AND THE U.S.
CONFERENCE OF MAYORS, AS *AMICI
CURIAE* IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONERS**

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

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

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District of Columbia

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