



**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE**

No. 23-969

CHARLES WALEN, ET AL.,

*Appellants,*

v.

DOUG BURGUM, GOVERNOR OF  
NORTH DAKOTA, ET AL.,

*Appellees.*

As required by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(h), I certify that the Motion to Dismiss or Affirm of Intervenors-Appellees MHA Nation, et al. contains 8,985 words, excluding the parts of the Brief that are exempted by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(d).

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