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SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

No. 24-1260

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MICHAEL WATSON, MISSISSIPPI SECRETARY OF STATE,

Petitioner,

v.

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE, ET AL.,

Respondents.

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STATE OF NEW YORK)

COUNTY OF NEW YORK)

I, Candice Best, 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 *Amicus Curiae*.

That on the 9th day of January, 2026, I served the within **BRIEF OF AMICUS CURIAE OF THE SOCIETY FOR THE RULE OF LAW INSTITUTE IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONER** in the above-captioned matter upon:

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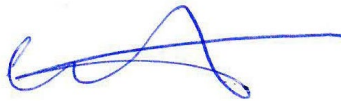
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That on the same date as above, I sent to this Court forty copies of the within **BRIEF OF AMICUS CURIAE OF THE SOCIETY FOR THE RULE OF LAW INSTITUTE IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONER** through the Overnight Next Day Federal Express, postage prepaid. In addition, 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 9th day of January, 2026.



Candice Best

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of January, 2026.



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