

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

Nos. 24-820, 24-860

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DANIEL RUTHERFORD,

Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES,

Respondent.

JOHNNIE MARKEL CARTER,

Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES,

Respondent.

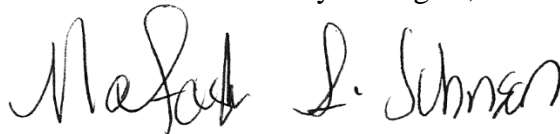
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