IN THE

Supreme Court of the United States

DANIEL RUTHERFORD, PETITIONER,

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

ON WRIT OF CERTIORARI
TO THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE THIRD CIRCUIT

BRIEF OF AMICI CURIAE FORMER FEDERAL JUDGES SUPPORTING PETITIONER

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