

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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No. 25A-1251

CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA,  
*Petitioner,*

v.

RODNEY SHANDS, ET AL.,  
*Respondents.*

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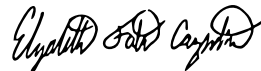
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Pursuant to this Court’s Rule 33.1(h), I certify that the accompanying Brief of Audubon Western Everglades, Conservancy of Southwest Florida, Tropical Audubon Society, and Izaak Walton League of America Florida Keys Chapter (“Environmental Amici”) as *Amici Curiae* in Support of Petitioner, which was prepared using Century Schoolbook 12-point typeface, contains 5,666 words, excluding the parts of the document that are exempted by Rule 33.1(d). This certificate was prepared in reliance on the word-count function of the word-processing system (Microsoft Office Word 365) used to prepare the document.

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