

**AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE**

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

No. 25-1324

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KATHERINE NOVOTNY, ET AL.,  
*Petitioners,*

*v.*

WES MOORE, GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND, ET AL.,  
*Respondents.*

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STATE OF NEW YORK            )

COUNTY OF NEW YORK        )

I, Julie Connor, 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 *Petitioners*.

That on the 2nd day of September, 2026, I served the within Reply Brief for the Petitioners in the above-captioned matter upon:

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by sending three copies of same, addressed to each individual respectively, through U.S.P.S. Priority Mail.

That on the same date as above, I sent to this Court forty copies of the within Reply Brief for the Petitioners through the FedEx Overnight Mail, postage prepaid.

That on the 2nd day of September, 2026, an electronic version was served by email to each individual. 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 2nd day of September, 2026.

*Julie Connor*

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Julie Connor

Sworn to and subscribed before me  
this 2nd day of September, 2026.

*Mariana Braylovsky*

**MARIANA BRAYLOVSKIY**  
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