

No. \_\_\_\_\_

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

MICHAEL PRETE,

*Petitioner,*

v.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

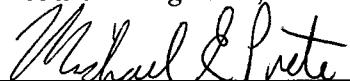
*Respondent.*

**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE**

As required by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(h), I certify that my Petition for Writ of Certiorari (Dated August 4, 2025) contains 8,993 words, excluding the parts of the petition that are exempted by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(d). I have relied on the word count of a word-processing system (set to include footnotes) used to prepare the document.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on August 4, 2025.



Michael Prete

