

VERIFICATION

STATE OF CALIFORNIA     )  
                                  ) ss.  
COUNTY OF SOLANO        )

(C.C.P. § 446 & 2015.5; 28 U.S.C. § 1746)

I, Kenneth E. Gage, declare under penalty of perjury that: I am the Petitioner-Applicant in the above-entitled action; I have read the foregoing documents and know the content thereof; and the same is true of my own knowledge, except as to matters stated therein upon information and belief and, as to those matters, I believe they are true.

Executed this 9<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2025, at California State Prison at Solano, Vacaville, California 95687.

[Signature]

Kenneth E Gage  
DECLARANT

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PROOF OF SERVICE BY MAIL

(C.C.P. § 1013(a) & 2015.5; 28 U.S.C. § 1746)

I, Kenneth E. Gage, am a resident of California State Prison at Solano, in the County of Solano, State of California; I am over the age of eighteen (18) years and am / not a party to the above-entitled action. My prison address is: California State Prison-Solano, P.O. Box 4000, Vacaville, CA 95696.

On September 9, 2025, I served the foregoing:

PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI, APPENDICES, MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN

FORMA PAUPERIS

[Set forth exact title of document(s) served.]

on the party(s) herein by placing a true copy(s) thereof in sealed envelope(s), with postage thereon fully paid, in the United States Mail, in a deposit box so provided at California State Prison-Solano, Vacaville, CA 95687, addressed as follows:

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There is delivery service by United States Mail at the place so addressed, and/or regular communication by mail between the place of mailing and the place so addressed. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

[Signature]

Kenneth E Gage  
DECLARANT