

No. 25-\_\_\_\_\_

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

GERALD BLAISE II,  
Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
Respondent.

On Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the United States  
Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Brent E. Newton, a member of the Bar of this Court and also appointed to represent the petitioner in the U.S. Court of Appeals under the Criminal Justice Act, certifies, pursuant to Rule 29.5, that he served the preceding Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Motion for Leave to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis* on counsel for Respondent by: (1) mailing a copy of these documents (via first-class United States mail, postage prepaid) to Solicitor General John Sauer, Room 5614, Department of Justice, 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C., 20530; and (2) sending the said documents via electronic mail to the Office of the Solicitor General, at [SupremeCtBriefs@USDOJ.gov](mailto:SupremeCtBriefs@USDOJ.gov), on January 15, 2026. All parties required to be served have been served.



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