

IN THE
Supreme Court of the United States

GREGORY PHEASANT,
Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Respondent.

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

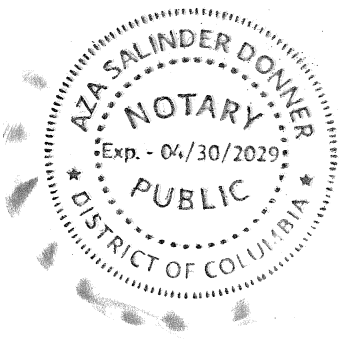
**BRIEF OF IDAHO, ALABAMA, ALASKA,
ARKANSAS, FLORIDA, INDIANA, KANSAS,
LOUISIANA, MISSOURI, MONTANA,
NEBRASKA, NORTH DAKOTA, OHIO,
OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA,
TENNESSEE, UTAH, WEST VIRGINIA, AND
THE ARIZONA LEGISLATURE AS *AMICI
CURIAE* IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONER**

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

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27th day of March 2026.



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My commission expires April 30, 2029.