

**In the Supreme Court of the United States**

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KEVIN MCCARTHY,  
Superintendent, Elmira Correctional Facility,

*Petitioner,*

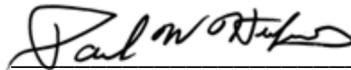
v.

PEDRO HERNANDEZ,

*Respondent.*

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**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE**

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Paul W. Hughes