

IN THE
Supreme Court of the United States

ERIC TYRELL JOHNSON, PETITIONER,

v.

UNITED STATES

*ON PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI
TO THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT*

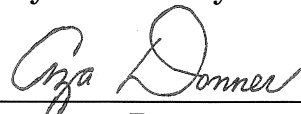
**BRIEF OF AMICUS CURIAE
PROFESSOR LAURENT SACHAROFF
SUPPORTING PETITIONER**

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