

No. 25-840

In the Supreme Court of the United States

INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS FOR ETHICAL CARE, INC.;
ADVOCATES PROTECTING CHILDREN; PARENTS 1A, 1B,
2A, 2B, 3A, 3B, 4A, 4B, 5A, AND 5B,
Petitioners,

v.

ROBERT FERGUSON, GOVERNOR OF WASHINGTON,
IN HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY; NICK BROWN, ATTORNEY
GENERAL OF WASHINGTON, IN HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY;
AND TANA SENN, SECRETARY OF THE WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN, YOUTH,
AND FAMILIES, IN HER OFFICIAL CAPACITY,
Respondents.

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

**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE
WITH WORD LIMITATIONS**

As required by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(h), the undersigned certifies that the Brief of the Manhattan Institute and Dr. Leor Sapir as *Amici Curiae* Supporting Petitioners contains 5,798 words, excluding the parts of the brief that are exempted by Rule 33.1(d). I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

February 17, 2026

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