

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

DECLARATION PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. § 1746

As required by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(h), I certify that my petition for a writ of certiorari contains **8780** words, excluding the parts of the petition that are exempted by Supreme Court Rule 33.1(d).

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I hereby declare under penalty of perjury, that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on this July 15th 2025

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ali Bakhtiari". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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