

IN THE  
**Supreme Court of the United States**

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SHERRY DETWILER,  
*Petitioner,*

v.

MID-COLUMBIA MEDICAL CENTER, et al.,  
*Respondents.*

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

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

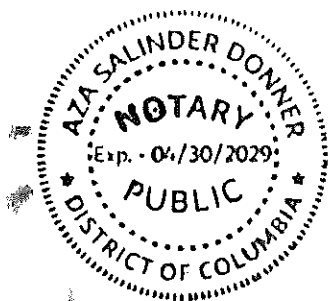
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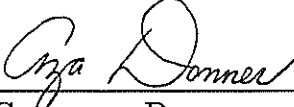
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