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

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IN RE GENE N. CHAVEZ,  
*Petitioner.*

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**PETITION FOR A WRIT OF MANDAMUS  
AND/OR PROHIBITION TO THE SUPREME COURT  
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

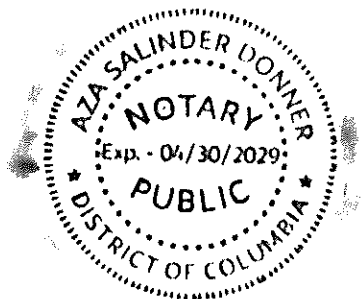
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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of September 2026.



  
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