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SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

No. 26-362

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FORTRESS IRON, LP,

Petitioner,

v.

DIGGER SPECIALTIES, INC.,

Respondent.

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STATE OF NEW YORK)

COUNTY OF NEW YORK)

I, Natasha S. Johnson, being duly sworn according to law and being over the age of 18, upon my oath depose and say that:

I am retained by Counsel of Record for *Petitioner*.

That on the 30th day of October, 2026, I served the within *Reply Brief for Petitioner in* the above-captioned matter upon:

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by sending three copies of same, addressed to each individual respectively, through FedEx Priority.

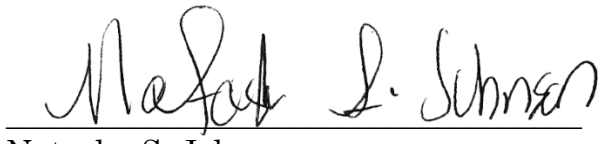
That on the same date as above, I sent to this Court forty copies of the within *Reply Brief for Petitioner* through the Overnight Next Day Federal Express, postage prepaid.

That on the 30th day of October, 2026, an electronic version was served by email to each individual. In addition, the brief has been submitted through the Court's electronic filing system.

All parties required to be served have been served.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on this 30th day of October, 2026.



Natasha S. Johnson

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 30th day of October, 2026.



MARIANA BRAYLOVSKIY
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