

No. 26-8

In the
Supreme Court of the United States

KIMBERLY ANN POLK,

Petitioner,

v.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS, *et al.*,

Respondents.

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

**BRIEF OF AMICI CURIAE
FIRST AMENDMENT SCHOLARS
IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONER**

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