

IN THE
Supreme Court of the United States

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, *et al.*,
Petitioners,

v.

SHOSHONE-BANNOCK TRIBES OF THE FORT HALL
RESERVATION, *et al.*,
Respondents.

J.R. SIMPLOT COMPANY, LLC,
Petitioner,

v.

SHOSHONE-BANNOCK TRIBES OF THE FORT HALL
RESERVATION, *et al.*,
Respondents.

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

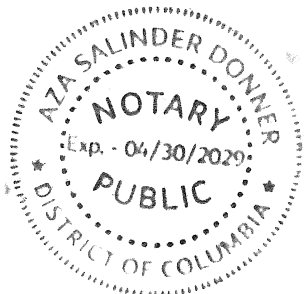
**BRIEF OF IDAHO GOVERNOR BRAD LITTLE,
THE STATE OF IDAHO, NEVADA GOVERNOR
JOE LOMBARDO, AND UTAH GOVERNOR
SPENCER J. COX AS AMICI CURIAE IN
SUPPORT OF PETITIONERS**

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My commission expires April 30, 2029.