## LESTER J. SMITH,

v.

Petitioner,

TIMOTHY WARD, COMMISSIONER OF GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS IN HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY,

Respondent.

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On this 19th day of July 2022, I, Richard Markell, hereby certify that this Reply Brief for Petitioner was sent via Federal Express Overnight Delivery to the Supreme Court of the United States. I further certify that this same day I served the required copies via USPS First Class Mail and email to the counsel of record listed below:

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Richard Markell appeared before me this 19th day of July, 2022, and attested that the foregoing affidavit is true and exact to the best of his knowledge and belief.

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