

**AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE**

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

No. 23-1039

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Marlean A. Ames,

Petitioner

v.

Ohio Department of Youth Services

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STATE OF NEW YORK )

COUNTY OF NEW YORK )

I, Marianna Buffolino, 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 *Amicus Curiae American Alliance for Equal Rights*

That on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2024, I served the within *Brief of Amicus Curiae American Alliance for Equal Rights in Support of Petitioners* in the above-captioned matter upon:

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by depositing three copies of same, addressed to each individual respectively, and enclosed in a post-paid, properly addressed wrapper, in an official depository maintained by Overnight Next Day Air Federal Express Official Depository, via FedEx. An electronic version was also served by email to each individual.

That on the same date as above, I sent to this Court forty bound copies of the within *Brief of Amicus Curiae American Alliance for Equal Rights in Support of Petitioners* through the Overnight Next Day Air Federal Express Official Depository, via FedEx..

In addition, the brief has been submitted electronically 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 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2024.



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Marianna Buffolino

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2024.



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**Mariana Braylovskiy**  
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