

IN THE  
**Supreme Court of the United States**

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GLENN LAIRD,  
*Petitioner,*  
v.

UNITED TEACHERS LOS ANGELES, *et al.*  
*Respondents.*

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

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**RESPONDENT LOS ANGELES UNIFIED  
SCHOOL DISTRICT'S BRIEF IN OPPOSITION**

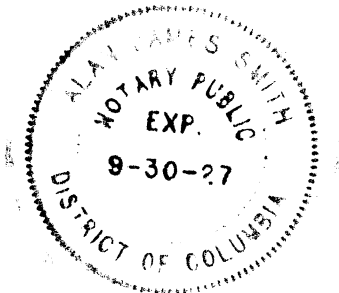
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