SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES No. 23-477

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UNITED STATES,

Petitioner,

v.

JONATHAN SKRMETTI, ATTORNEY GENERAL AND REPORTER FOR TENNESSEE, ET AL.,

Respondents,

and

L.W., BY AND THROUGH HER PARENTS AND NEXT FRIENDS, SAMANTHA WILLIAMS AND BRIAN WILLIAMS, *et al.*,

Respondents in Support of Petitioner.

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CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on September 3, 2024

Candice Best

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of September, 2024

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MARIANA BRAYLOVSKIY Notary Public State of New York No. 01BR6004935 Qualified in Richmond County Commission Expires March 30, 2026 #117058