

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

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MRUGESHKUMAR KUMAR SHAH, PETITIONER,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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*ON PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE  
UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT*

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**REPLY BRIEF FOR THE PETITIONER**

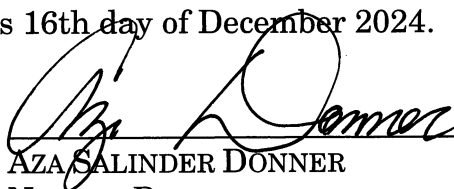
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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16th day of December 2024.

  
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