No. 20-148

In the Supreme Court of the United States

MARVIN WASHINGTON; DB, AS PARENT OF INFANT AB; JOSE BELEN; SC, AS PARENT OF INFANT JC; AND CANNABIS CULTURAL ASSOCIATION, INC.,

Petitioners,

v.

WILLIAM PELHAM BARR, IN HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS UNITED STATES ATTORNEY GENERAL; UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE; TIMOTHY J. SHEA, IN HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS ACTING DIRECTOR OF THE DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION, UNITED STATES DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION, AND THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Respondents.

On Petition for a Writ of Certiorari to the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit

BRIEF OF AMICI CURIAE CReDO SCIENCE; THE AMERICAN JOURNAL OF ENDOCANNABINOID MEDICINE; ETHAN RUSSO, M.D.; AND JAHAN MARCU, Ph.D. IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONERS

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QUESTION PRESENTED

Whether the court should grant Petitioners Marvin Washington, DB, as parent of infant AB, Jose Belen, SC, as parent of infant JC, and Cannabis Cultural Association, Inc. ("Petitioners") Writ of Certiorari to determine whether the federal scheduling and criminalization of marijuana based on 21 USC § 812, without exception, violates the Due Process Clause of the Fifth Amendment to the U.S. Constitution and whether the requirement that an injured party must first exhaust administrative remedies to seek relief is consistent with the Due Process Clause of the Fifth Amendment.

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