(ORDER LIST: 549 U.S.)

FRI DAY, OCTOBER 13, 2006

ORDER IN PENDING CASE

05-998 UNI TED STATES V. RESENDI Z-PONCE, JUAN

The parties are directed to file supplemental briefs addressing the following Question: "Did the indictment omit an allegation that was required by the Fifth Amendment?" The briefs, not to exceed 25 pages, are to be filed simultaneously with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 3 p.m., Friday, October 27, 2006. Reply briefs, not to exceed 10 pages may be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 3 p.m., Friday, November 3, 2006.

CERTIORARI GRANTED

05-11284) ABDUL-KABIR, JALIL V. QUARTERMAN, DIR., TX DCJ

05-11287) BREWER, BRENT R. V. QUARTERMAN, DIR., TX DCJ

The motions of petitioners for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* and the petitions for writs of certiorari are granted. The cases are consolidated and a total of one hour is allotted for oral argument.