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Re: No. 15-1204, David Jennings, et al. v. Alejandro Rodriguez, et al.

Dear Counsel:

I am writing to inform the parties that Justice Kagan learned today that, while serving as Solicitor General, she authorized the filing of a pleading in an earlier phase of this case. The ordinary conflict check conducted in Justice Kagan's Chambers inadvertently failed to find this action.

Consistent with the Code of Conduct for United States Judges, Justice Kagan has determined that she should not continue to participate in this case.

Sincerely,

Scott S. Harris Clerk of the Court