

**SUPREME COURT
STATE OF GEORGIA**

MARIA PALACIOS,

Petitioner-Appellant,

v.

BRIAN P. KEMP, in his official
capacity as the Secretary of State of
Georgia,

Respondent-Appellee,

And

RYAN SAWYER,

Respondent-Intervenor-Appellee.

Supreme Court Case No. _____

Fulton County Superior Court
(Schwall, J.)

No. 2018CV305433

**PETITIONER-APPELLANT MARIA PALACIOS'S
REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT**

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Today, Petitioner Maria Palacios filed an application for leave to appeal in a candidacy qualifications matter that may decide who will be elected as the Georgia House of Representatives member for House District 29 in the upcoming legislative session.

Pursuant to Georgia Supreme Court Rule 50(3), Petitioner respectfully requests an opportunity for oral argument given the importance and unprecedented nature of this case. Pursuant to Georgia Supreme Court Rule 51, Petitioner certifies that opposing counsel for Respondent Secretary of State Brian P. Kemp and Respondent-Intervenor Ryan Sawyer have been notified of Petitioner's intention to seek oral argument and argue the case orally, and that inquiry has been made whether they intend also to argue orally. In response, opposing counsel for both parties have expressed their desire to argue.

This 20th day of July, 2018.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This will certify that on July 20, 2018, I did cause to be served upon the parties in this action a true and correct copy of the foregoing by transmitting such copy via electronic mail and by depositing such copy properly addressed and with adequate postage thereon with the United States Postal Service, as follows:

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