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In Bloomberg Law, Akiva Shapiro Reflects on Five-Year Anniversary of Supreme Court Win in Roman Catholic Diocese of Brooklyn v. Cuomo

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Writing for Bloomberg Law, partner Akiva Shapiro looked back on the five-year anniversary of our U.S. Supreme Court win in *Roman Catholic Diocese of Brooklyn v. Cuomo*, which enjoined an order severely limiting the number of attendees at religious services in New York City, but not at comparable secular activities, during the COVID-19 pandemic. Akiva and his team went from filing a complaint in October 2020 to a Supreme Court win within seven weeks.

Reflecting on the case, Akiva noted that it “demonstrated that the Constitution continues to serve as a bulwark protecting our rights, even – especially – in times of crisis. And that the free exercise of religion isn’t a luxury to be sidelined during an emergency, but an essential thread in our constitutional fabric.”

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