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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES OCTOBER TERM, 2017

JASON MONT, Petitioner,

-vs-

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Respondent

ON PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE SIXTH CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS

CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE OF PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI, MOTION FOR LEAVE TO APPEAR IN FORMA PAUPERIS AND CERTIFICATE OF WORD COUNT

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