

**In The
Supreme Court of the United States**

No. 18-1338

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
*Petitioner,***

v.

**JOSEPH DECORE SIMMS,
*Respondent.***

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

PURSUANT TO Rule 39 of the Rules of the Supreme Court of the United States, Respondent Joseph Decore Simms asks leave to file the accompanying Brief in Response and to proceed in forma pauperis. The Brief in Response is in the form prescribed by Rule 15 of the Rules of this Court, and is submitted for filing along with this Motion. Respondent was determined to be indigent by the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit and counsel was appointed October 26, 2015, under 18 U.S.C. § 3006A.

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Respectfully submitted,

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