

No. ____ - _____

IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

WILLIAM BROWN,
Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Respondent.

On Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the
United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit

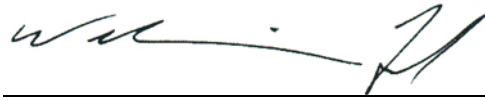
MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

Pursuant to Rule 39 of the Rules of this Court, the petitioner, William Brown, moves to file the attached Petition For Writ of Certiorari to the United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit without prepayment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

The petitioner was represented in the United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit (No. 17-1100) and in the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts (No. 15-CR-40007) by counsel appointed pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act (18 U.S.C. § 3006A).

Because appellate counsel was appointed pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act, no affidavit or declaration of the petitioner is attached. *See* S. Ct. R. 39.1.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'William W. Fick', is positioned above a horizontal line.

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