

CASE No. \_\_\_\_\_

IN THE SUPREME COURT  
FOR THE UNITED STATES COURT OF AMERICA

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Respondent,

v.

CHAD ALLEN DORTON

Petitioner.

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**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS**

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Comes now Douglas L. Payne, counsel for the Petitioner, Chad Allen Dorton, and moves the Court for leave to proceed in forma pauperis. In support thereof, the movant would show unto the Court that he was appointed to represent the Petitioner under 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, the Criminal Justice Act, by the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit and by the District Court. Leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* has not been previously sought.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and exact copy of this Motion to Proceed in Forma Pauperis has been served upon Office of the Solicitor General, Department of Justice, 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20530-0001, and David L. Gunn Assistant U.S. Attorney, 220 West Depot Street, Suite 423, Greeneville, Tennessee 37743, by placing a true and exact copy of said Petition in the United States Mail, with sufficient postage thereon to carry the same to its destination.

This the 1st day of August, 2018.

/s/ Douglas L. Payne

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