

IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES  
OCTOBER TERM, 2017  
No. \_\_\_\_\_

LEE ANDREW PAUL, )  
Petitioner, )  
v. ) MOTION TO PROCEED  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ) IN FORMA PAUPERIS  
Respondent. )

Petitioner, by and through his attorney, Virginia G. Villa, respectfully moves the Court for permission to proceed *in forma pauperis* in connection with this Petition for a Writ of Certiorari and any subsequent proceedings. Counsel was appointed under the Criminal Justice Act by the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit. All proceedings since the original Indictment have been pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, with respect to counsel. Petitioner's financial status has not materially improved since the inception of these proceedings.

Dated: August 16, 2018

Respectfully submitted,

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