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IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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NALENZER LEE EDWARDS,

Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Respondent.

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

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**MOTION TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS***

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COMES NOW Nalenzer Lee Edwards, by and through appointed counsel, and asks leave of this Honorable Court to file the attached Petition for Writ of Certiorari without prepayment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*, in support of which is offered the following:

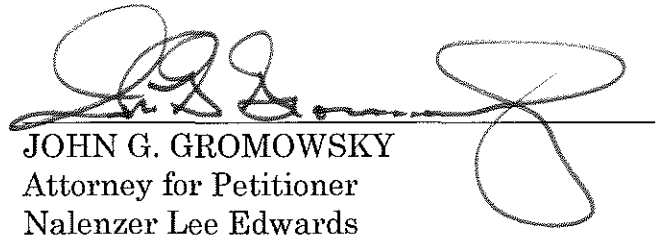
1. Petitioner has previously been granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in the United States District Court for the Western District of Missouri (Case No. 15-04035-01-CR-C-BCW) and in the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit (Case No. 17-1455).

2. A copy of the Appellate Court's order permitting petitioner to proceed

*in forma pauperis* and appointing undersigned counsel to represent petitioner pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. §3006A, is attached hereto at Exhibit A.

WHEREFORE, petitioner prays that this Honorable Court enter an order permitting him to proceed *in forma pauperis*, and for such other relief as is deemed reasonable and just.

Respectfully submitted,



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**UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT**

No: 17-1455

United States of America

Appellee

v.

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Appellant

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Appeal from U.S. District Court for the Western District of Missouri - Jefferson City  
(2:15-cr-04035-BCW-1)

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**ORDER**

Attorney, John G. Gromowsky is hereby appointed to represent appellant in this appeal under the Criminal Justice Act. Information regarding the CJA appointment and vouchering process in eVoucher will be emailed to counsel shortly.

June 26, 2018

Order Entered under Rule 27A(a):  
Clerk, U.S. Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit.

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/s/ Michael E. Gans