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IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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RAMESS NAKHLEH,  
*Petitioner,*

v.

UNITED STATES of AMERICA,  
*Respondent.*

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

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Petitioner Ramess Nakhleh, pursuant to Sup. Ct. R. 39.1, moves for leave to file the accompanying petition for writ of certiorari in the Supreme Court of the United States without payment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

Mr. Nakhleh was previously found financially unable to obtain counsel and the Federal Community Defender of the Eastern District of Michigan was appointed to represent Mr. Pittman pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A. Therefore, in reliance upon RULE 39.1 and § 3006A(d)(6), Mr. Nakhleh has not attached the affidavit which would otherwise be required by 28 U.S.C. § 1746.

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