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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

RUBEN RANGEL, Petitioner

v.

THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, Respondent.

On Petition For a Writ of Certiorari to the
California Supreme Court

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

The petitioner, Ruben Rangel, asks leave to file the accompanying petition for writ of certiorari, without prepayment of costs, and to proceed *in forma pauperis*. Petitioner was represented by court appointed counsel in the Los Angeles County Superior Court and the California Supreme Court and was permitted to proceed *in forma pauperis* in those courts.

Dated: November 20, 2018

Respectfully submitted,

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