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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

RICHARD EARL SHERE

PETITIONER

VS.

STATE OF FLORIDA

RESPONDENTS.

MOTION TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

The Petitioner asks leave to file the attached petition for a writ of certiorari without prepayment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

[x] Petitioner has previously been granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in the following courts: The Circuit Court, in and for the Fifth Judicial Circuit, Hernando County, Florida; the Supreme Court of Florida, the United States Supreme Court, the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit (by operation of 11th Circuit Rule 24-1). Petitioner was denied leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in the Middle District of Florida, Case Numbers 8:00-cv-01996 and 8-13-cv-00688. He was denied a Certificate of Appealability in both cases but was later granted one in 8:00-cv-01996 by the Eleventh Circuit. See *Shere v.*

Sec'y, Fla. Dep't of Corr., 537 F.3d 1304 (11th Cir. 2008).

{x}Petitioner's affidavit or declaration is not attached because the court below appointed counsel in the current proceeding, and, the appointment was made under the following provision of law: Chapter 27, Florida Statutes and order of the Florida Supreme Court. Additionally, Mr. Shere was appointed counsel under the Criminal Justice Act of 1964, 18 U.S.C. §3006 A and 21 U.S.C §848(q) in the Federal District Court for the Middle Region of Florida and the Eleventh Circuit Court of Appeals.

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