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**In the  
Supreme Court of the United States**

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NICHOLAS MASLONKA,

*Petitioner,*

v.

JOHN CHRISTENSEN,

*Respondent.*

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

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

**FEDERAL COMMUNITY DEFENDER  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN**

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