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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

EUGENE FORTE,

Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Respondent

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

Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(d)(7) and Rule 39 of this Court, the Petitioner, EUGENE FORTE, requests leave to file the accompanying Petition for Writ of Certiorari without prepayment of fees or costs, and to proceed in *forma pauperis*. Mr. FORTE was represented by appointed counsel under the Criminal Justice Act in the District Court and in the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals.

Dated: December 26, 2018

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Respectfully submitted,

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