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In the Supreme Court of the United States

JUAN GERARDO RODRIGUEZ-MANTOS, PETITIONER,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, RESPONDENT

On Petition for Writ of Certiorari
to the
United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit

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

NOW COMES Petitioner Juan Gerardo Rodriguez-Mantos, by and through her undersigned attorney, and pursuant to Rule 39.1, Supreme Court Rules, and Title 18, United States Code, § 3006A(d)(7), respectfully moves this Honorable Court for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis*, and to file the previously filed Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit without prepayment of fees. Leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* was granted when the undersigned was appointed to represent the Petitioner before the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals, and he requests that he remain in this capacity.

Respectfully submitted,

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