IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

TEDDRICK BATISTE, Petitioner,

v.

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

MOTION FOR LEAVE 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*. Petitioner has previously been granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas. Counsel is appointed pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3599.

Respectfully submitted,

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