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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

ARISTIDES DUARTEZ, JR.,
Petitioner,
v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Respondent,

APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED
IN FORMA PAUPERIS

Petitioner Aristides Duartez, Jr., respectfully requests leave to proceed here *in forma pauperis*, without payment of fees and costs. Counsel certifies that, in the court below, counsel was appointed to represent petitioner pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act.

Dated: Syracuse, New York
 March 4, 2019

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