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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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ARISTIDES DUARTEZ, JR.,  
Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
Respondent,  
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APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED  
*IN FORMA PAUPERIS*  
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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  
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