

No. ____

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

ERIC A. HICKS,
Petitioner,

v.

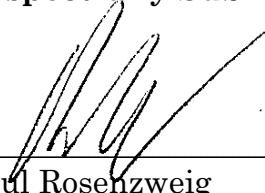
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Respondent.

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

PURSUANT TO Rule 39 of the Rules of the Supreme Court of the United States, Petitioner Eric A. Hicks asks leave to file the accompanying Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit without payment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis* and in support thereof states:

1. The Petition for Certiorari in the form prescribed by Rule 14 of the Rules of this Court, with Appendix attached, is submitted for filing along with this Motion.
2. Petitioner was determined to be indigent by Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit and counsel was appointed, under the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A.

Respectfully Submitted,



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