

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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LAWRENCE DUSEAN ADKINSON, - Petitioner

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA - Respondent

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.

[ x ] Petitioner has previously been granted leave to proceed in forma pauperis in the following court(s):

United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit  
United States District Court for the Northern District of Indiana

[ ] Petitioner has not previously been granted leave to proceed in forma pauperis in any other court.

Petitioner's affidavit or declaration in support of this motion is attached hereto.



Margaret Schmucker

# United States Court of Appeals

For the Seventh Circuit  
Chicago, Illinois 60604

December 15, 2017

*By the Court:*

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff-Appellee,	]	Appeals from the United States District Court for
Nos. 17-2940, 17-3065, 17-3381, and 17-3519	]	the Southern District of Indiana, New Albany Division.
	]	
PAUL O. GRISSOM, JEFFREY ANTOINE KEMP, LAWRENCE D. ADKINSON, and JUSTIN MARTIN, Defendants-Appellants.	]	No. 4:15-cr-00025
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	]	Tanya Walton Pratt, Judge.
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This matter comes before the court for its consideration of attorney Armand I. Judah's **MOTION TO WITHDRAW AND SUSPEND BRIEFING**, filed on November 21, 2017, in appeal 17-3381. Upon consideration thereof,

**IT IS ORDERED** that the Motion to Withdraw is **GRANTED**.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that attorney Margaret Schmucker, LAW OFFICE OF MARGARET SCHMUCKER, 1841 S. Lakeline Boulevard, Cedar Park, TX 78726, is appointed to represent defendant-appellant Lawrence D. Adkinson in 17-3381 pursuant to the provisions of the Criminal Justice Act. Counsel is directed to contact the defendant-appellant immediately.

Briefing shall proceed as follows:

1. Defendants-appellants shall file their briefs and required short appendices on or before March 15, 2018.
2. Plaintiff-appellee shall file its consolidated brief on or before April 16, 2018.

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3. Defendants-appellants shall file their reply briefs, if any, on or before April 30, 2018.

Counsel for appellants are encouraged to avoid unnecessary duplication by filing a joint brief or a joint appendix or by adopting parts of a co-appellant's brief. Duplicative briefing will be stricken. See *United States v. Martin*, Nos. 99-2621, et al., slip op. at 13-14 (7th Cir. Nov. 1, 1999); *United States v. Torres*, 170 F.3d 749 (7th Cir. 1999); *United States v. Ashman*, 964 F.2d 596 (7th Cir.1992).

Appellants, however, may not adopt the "Jurisdictional Statement" of another. Each appellant's brief must include a complete "Jurisdictional Statement." Appellee's brief must comply with Circuit Rule 28(b).

Important Scheduling Notice !

Notices of hearing for particular appeals are mailed shortly before the date of oral argument. Criminal appeals are scheduled shortly after the filing of the appellant's main brief; civil appeals after the filing of the appellee's brief. If you foresee that you will be unavailable during a period in which your particular appeal might be scheduled, please write the clerk advising him of the time period and the reason for such unavailability. Session data is located at <http://www.ca7.uscourts.gov/cal/calendar.pdf>. Once an appeal is formally scheduled for a certain date, it is very difficult to have the setting changed. See Circuit Rule 34(e).