
No. _____

IN THE

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

SAMANTHA WINTER

Petitioner

v.

UNITED STATES OF VIRGINIA

Respondent.

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

FILED: July 25, 2018

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

No. 18-4520
(1:18-cr-00007-LO-1)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Plaintiff - Appellee

v.

SAMANTHA WINTER

Defendant - Appellant

O R D E R

The court appoints Melinda VanLowe to represent appellant. Counsel is referred to the [CJA Payment Memorandum](#) and the [CJA eVoucher Page](#) for information on appointment terms and procedures.

CJA authorization for preparation of transcript is obtained by submitting an AUTH-24 request in the district eVoucher system. New appellate counsel must contact district eVoucher staff for appointment to the underlying district court case in order to submit the AUTH-24 request for district judge approval and the CJA 24 voucher for transcript payment. Counsel must also submit a Transcript Order Form

to the court reporter and district court and file the same in the court of appeals with the docketing statement. Upon filing of the Transcript Order Form, the Fourth Circuit will set deadlines for completion of the transcript.

CJA 20 and 21 vouchers are submitted for payment through the Fourth Circuit's CJA eVoucher system. Upon receiving email notification of this appointment from eVoucher, counsel may create CJA 20 and 21 vouchers for use in maintaining time and expense records and paying for expert services.

All case filings must be made using the court's Electronic Case Filing system (CM/ECF). Counsel not yet registered for electronic filing should proceed to the court's web site to register as an ECF filer. See [Required Steps for Registration as an ECF Filer](#).

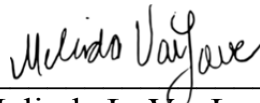
For the Court--By Direction

/s/ Patricia S. Connor, Clerk

Petitioner Samantha Winter, by counsel, asks for leave to file the attached petition for a writ of certiorari without prepayment of costs and to proceed in forma pauperis, as Petitioner has previously been granted leave to proceed in forma pauperis in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia and the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit. Ms. Winter's affidavit is not attached because the court below appointed counsel in the current proceeding. A copy of the order of appointment is appended.

Dated: July 31, 2019

Respectfully Submitted,



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Counsel for Appellant Samantha Winter

Place of Offense: ☐ **Under Seal** **Judge Assigned:** Liam O'Grady

City: Superseding Indictment: **Criminal No.** 1:18-cr- 7

County: King George Same Defendant: New Defendant: X

Magistrate Judge Case No. 17-MJ-566 **Arraignment Date:**

Search Warrant Case No. R. 20/R. 40 From:

Defendant Information:

Defendant Name: Samantha Brooke Winter **Alias(es):** ☐ **Juvenile** **FBI No.**

Address: Culpepper VA, 22701

Employment:

Birth Date: 1995 **SSN:** **Sex:** Female **Race:** **Nationality:**

Place of Birth: **Height:** **Weight:** **Hair:** **Eyes:** **Scars/Tattoos:**

☐ **Interpreter** **Language/Dialect:** **Auto Description:**

Location/Status:

Arrest Date: Dec 6, 2017 ☐ **Already in Federal Custody as of:** **in:**

☐ **Already in State Custody** ☐ **On Pretrial Release** ☒ **Not in Custody**

☐ **Arrest Warrant Requested** ☐ **Fugitive** ☐ **Summons Requested**

☐ **Arrest Warrant Pending** ☐ **Detention Sought** ☒ **Bond**

Defense Counsel Information:

Name: Melinda VanLowe, Esq. ☒ **Court Appointed** **Counsel Conflicts:**

Address: ☐ **Retained**

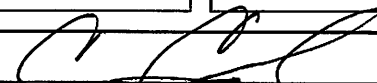
Phone: ☐ **Public Defender** ☐ **Federal Public Conflicted Out**

U.S. Attorney Information:

AUSA(s): Carina A. Cuellar & Colleen E. Garcia **Phone:** 703-299-3700 **Bar No.**

Complainant Agency - Address & Phone No. or Person & Title:

ATF SA Michael A. Fernald

U.S.C. Citations:	Code/Section	Offense Charged	Count(s)	Capital/Felony/Misd./Petty
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Date:	1/3/2018	AUSA Signature: 		may be continued on reverse