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IN THE
Supreme Court of the United States

MICHAEL BERNARD BELL

Petitioner,

v.

STATE OF FLORIDA,

Respondent.

*On Petition for a Writ of Certiorari to the
Supreme Court of Florida*

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

Petitioner, MICHAEL BERNARD BELL, by and through undersigned counsel, asks leave to proceed in this Court *in forma pauperis*, without prepayment of filing fees and costs. Plaintiff has been represented by appointed counsel in both the State of Florida and in federal courts since 1995. Undersigned counsel has been appointed to represent Petitioner in collateral proceedings in both state and federal court, where he was determined to be indigent.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff requests that this Court enter an Order authorizing Defendant to Proceed *in Forma Pauperis* without prepayment of filing fees and costs

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