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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES
OCTOBER TERM, 2020

GIOVANNI COTTO,
Petitioner

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Respondent

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED
IN FORMA PAUPERIS

Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(b) and Rule 39 of this Court, Petitioner Giovanni Cotto asks leave to file the attached Petition for a Writ of Certiorari to the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit without payment of fees or costs, and to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

Petitioner was represented by counsel appointed pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A in the United States District Court for the Western

District of New York, and that appointment was continued on appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit.

Dated: Buffalo, New York
July 16, 2020

Respectfully submitted,

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