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COMES NOW Petitioner, Javier Corona-Verduzco, by his attorney, Dan Goldberg, Assistant Federal Public Defender, Western District of Missouri, and moves this Court, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1915, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(d)(6) and Sup. Ct. R. 39.1 and .2, for leave to file a petition for writ of certiorari to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit without prepayment of docket or other fees, and to proceed In Forma Pauperis. The petition accompanies this motion.

United States Magistrate Judge John Maughmer appointed the Federal Public Defender Office to represent Mr. Corona-Verduzco pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act on April 5, 2016. Mr. Corona-Verduzco was indicted in the United States District Court, Western District of Missouri, on April 20, 2016, for possession with intent to distribute methamphetamine and illegal reentry. Following Mr. Corona-Verduzco's guilty verdict at jury trial, he appealed his sentence of

360 months of imprisonment on Count 1, 240 months of imprisonment on Count 2, to run concurrently. On appeal the Federal Defender continued to represent Mr. Corona-Verduzco without payment of fees or costs or security and without filing the affidavit required by 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a), all pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(d)(6).

Because both the United States District Court for the Western District of Missouri and the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit permitted Mr. Corona-Verduzco to proceed In Forma Pauperis and appointed counsel for him, no affidavit in support of this Motion to Proceed In Forma Pauperis in this Court is required. 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(d)(6) and Sup. Ct. R. 39.1.

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