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IN THE  
**Supreme Court of the United States**

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DAVID A. BRIDGEWATER,

Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Respondent.

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*On Petition for a Writ of Certiorari to the  
United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit*

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**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS***

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Petitioner David A. Bridgewater, pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 39, asks leave to file the attached Petition for a Writ of Certiorari without payment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

On February 7, 2019, the district court appointed counsel for Mr. Bridgewater pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act of 1964 (CJA), 18 U.S.C. § 3006A. The undersigned counsel continued to represent Mr. Bridgewater pursuant to the CJA in the Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner Bridgewater, by and through undersigned counsel, respectfully prays for leave to proceed in the Supreme Court of the United States *in forma pauperis*.

DATED this 20th day of July, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

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