

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**In the Supreme Court of the United States**

**October Term, 2020**

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ELIER ISAI MARQUEZ-GONZALEZ, *PETITIONER*,

V.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI  
TO THE  
UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

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

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Petitioner Elier Isai Marquez-Gonzalez, by and through his undersigned attorney, and pursuant to Rule 39.1, Supreme Court Rules, and Title 18, United States Code, § 3006A(d)(7), respectfully moves this Honorable Court for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis*, and for leave to file the attached Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit without pre-payment of fees. Petitioner was represented by appointed counsel under the Criminal Justice Act of 1964, as amended, in the district court and the court of appeals. Leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* was never sought in any other court.

Respectfully submitted.

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