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**Re: *Dwyne Deruise v. United States*, No. 20-6953**

Dear Mr. Harris:

I am replacing my colleague and co-counsel Peter Birch as counsel of record for Petitioner Dwyne Deruise in the above-captioned matter.

Pursuant to Rule 15.5, Petitioner waives the 14-day waiting period for distribution. Petitioner respectfully requests that the petition materials be distributed on the Court's next distribution date for *in forma pauperis* cases, which I understand to be June 2, 2021. Petitioner plans to submit his reply brief on or before that date, so that the Court will have the benefit of full briefing before its conference of June 17, 2021.

Thank you for your consideration. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely yours,

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