

NO. 21-\_\_\_\_\_

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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AARON CHRISTOPHER PENA,

*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 Fifth Circuit

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

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Petitioner Aaron Christopher Pena respectfully moves, pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 39.1, for leave to file the accompanying petition for a writ of certiorari without payment of costs and to proceed in forma pauperis. Petitioner was represented by counsel under the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, before the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas and the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit.

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