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IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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RODRIGO MARTINEZ-MENDOZA,  
*Petitioner,*

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
*Respondent.*

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

The petitioner asks leave to file the attached petition for a writ of certiorari without prepayment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

The petitioner has previously been granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in the following courts:

U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, Case No. 3:17-cr-164, by oral order entered October 26, 2018; and

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit, Case No. 20-4025, by written order dated January 8, 2020.

Because appellate counsel was appointed pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act of 1964, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, no affidavit or declaration of the petitioner is attached. *See* S. Ct. R. 39.1.

Respectfully submitted,



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