

No:

IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

In re KENNY BLANC,

Petitioner.

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

Petitioner, Kenny Blanc, pursuant to SUP CT. R. 39.1, respectfully moves for leave to file the accompanying petition for a writ of habeas corpus in this Court without payment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

In his underlying criminal case, the district court found Petitioner to be indigent and appointed him counsel pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A. (Case No. 14-cr-60316, Dist. Ct. ECF Nos. 6, 10, 117, 118, 140 (S.D. Fla.)). In his initial 28 U.S.C. § 2255 proceeding, the district court also appointed Petitioner counsel pursuant to the same Act. (Case No. 16-cv-61488, Dist. Ct ECF No. 5 at 7 (S.D. Fla. July 8, 2016)). The district court also granted Petitioner leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in subsequent post-conviction proceedings. (Case No. 20-cv-61118, Dist. Ct. ECF No. 20 (S.D. Fla. Oct. 26, 2020); Case No. 19-cv-61047, Dist. Ct. ECF No. 30 (S.D. Fla. Nov. 13, 2020)). Therefore, in reliance upon Rule 39.1 and § 3006A, Petitioner has not attached the declaration which would otherwise be required by 28 U.S.C. § 1746.

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