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IN THE  
**Supreme Court of the United States**

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HOLLI WRICE,

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 Seventh Circuit*

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

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Petitioner Holli Wrice, pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 39, asks leave to file the attached Petition for a Writ of Certiorari without payment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*. On February 25, 2011, the United States District Court for the Southern District of Illinois appointed counsel for Petitioner Wrice, pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act of 1964 (CJA), 18 U.S.C. § 3006A. Petitioner has remained incarcerated and indigent since that time. On April 14, 2020, Defense Counsel filed a motion for compassionate release on Petitioner's behalf, pursuant to United States District Court for the Southern District of Illinois Administrative Order 265, which permitted the appointment counsel pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A for indigent persons for the purpose of filing motions for compassionate release. Petitioner's motion for compassionate release is the underlying action in this case. Undersigned counsel has continued to represent

Petitioner Wrice pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A throughout this action, including in the Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner Wrice, by and through undersigned counsel, respectfully prays for leave to proceed in the Supreme Court of the United States *in forma pauperis*.

DATED this 24th day of February, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

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