

No. 21-_____

IN THE
Supreme Court of the United States

LUIS ALONSO SAM-PENA,
Petitioner,

vs.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Respondent.

**ON PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI
TO THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT**

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

Pursuant to Rule 39.1, Petitioner Luis Sam-Pena requests leave to file the attached petition for a writ of certiorari *in forma pauperis*. On September 3, 2021, the United States District Court for the District of Arizona found Mr. Sam to be financially eligible for appointed counsel and appointed counsel for him under 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(a)(1)(A). Under 9th Cir. R. 4-1(a) and (e), that appointment continues through appellate proceedings, including the filing and disposition of this petition.

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