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IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES
OCTOBER TERM, 2021

JOHN P. TOMKINS,

Petitioner,

v.

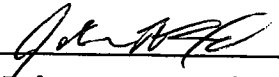
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Respondent.

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

The *pro se* petitioner, John P. Tomkins, herein moves this Honorable Court for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* pursuant to Rule 39 of the Rules of the Supreme Court of the United States. In support of this motion, Petitioner states that he previously sought *in forma pauperis* status in the United District Court for the Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division, which the Court allowed. Petitioner further states that he was represented by appointed counsel pursuant to the provisions of the Criminal Justice Act of 1964, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, and that he remains without sufficient funds to afford counsel or payment of costs.

Wherefore, Petitioner John P. Tomkins respectfully
prays that an order be entered granting him leave to proceed
in forma pauperis.


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