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**In the Supreme Court of the United States**

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Jerry James Kendall Ritchie,  
*Petitioner,*

v.

United States of America,  
*Respondent*

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**Motion for Leave to Proceed in Forma Pauperis**

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Petitioner Jerry James Kendall Ritchie respectfully requests that this Court grant him leave to proceed in forma pauperis. In support of this request, and pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 39.1, Petitioner states that the United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit appointed the Office of the Federal Public Defender for the Districts of Colorado and Wyoming to represent him pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A.

Respectfully submitted,

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