

In the  
Supreme Court of the United States

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Rafael Espino,

*Petitioner,*

v.

United States of America,

*Respondent.*

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

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Petitioner Rafael Espino respectfully requests leave to proceed here *in forma pauperis*, without payment of fees and costs. Counsel certifies that, in the court below, counsel was appointed to represent petitioner pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act.

Dated:      New York, New York  
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