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

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MICHAEL G. FARIS,  
Petitioner

v.

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE,  
Respondent

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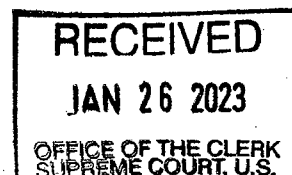
ON WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE  
UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FEDERAL CIRCUIT

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**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED AS A VETERAN**

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## Declaration of Status as a Veteran

This motion is pursuant to rule 40 of the *Rules of the Supreme Court of the United States*, effective January 1, 2023 (“S. Ct. Rules”). I hereby request leave from the Court to proceed as a veteran. This is a case under Chapter 43 of Title 38, United States Code [The Uniformed Service Employment and Reemployment Rights Act of 1994 (USERRA)]: in accordance with 38 U.S.C. § 4323(h)(1), “[N]o fees or court costs may be charged or taxed against any person claiming rights under this chapter.” This also allows submission of documents in accordance with S. Ct, Rule 33.2 (i.e. 40 page limit, 8-1/2”X11” paper format, etc).

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on January 21, 2023.



MICHAEL G. FARIS

Petitioner