

No. 23A27

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES**

RANSON LONG PUMPKIN,

Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Respondent.

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

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**PETITIONER'S MOTION TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS**

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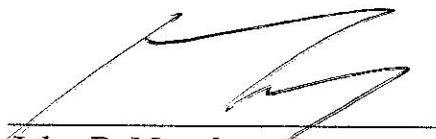
## PETITIONER'S MOTION TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

Petitioner, Ranson Long Pumpkin, respectfully moves this Court for permission to proceed *in forma pauperis* and to have all fees or costs associated with the filing of documents waived. This motion is made pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 39(1) and based on the following:

Petitioner is a federal inmate. His counsel was appointed to represent him at trial before the United States District Court for the District of South Dakota. Counsel was re-appointed to represent Petitioner to prosecute his appeal before the Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals. Both appointment orders are submitted with this motion. Petitioner has remained incarcerated and indigent throughout this process.

Dated August 15, 2023.

Respectfully submitted,



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**District of South Dakota**

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**UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT**

No: 20-2743

United States of America

Appellee

v.

Ranson Long Pumpkin

Appellant

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Appeal from U.S. District Court for the District of South Dakota - Western  
(5:18-cr-50010-JLV-3)

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**ORDER**

Attorney John R. Murphy is hereby appointed to represent appellant in this appeal under the Criminal Justice Act. Information regarding the CJA appointment and vouchering process in eVoucher will be emailed to counsel shortly.

August 20, 2020

Order Entered under Rule 27A(a):  
Clerk, U.S. Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit.

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/s/ Michael E. Gans