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In the  
Supreme Court of the United States

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Anthony Christopher Mendonca,

*Petitioner,*

v.

United States of America,

*Respondent.*

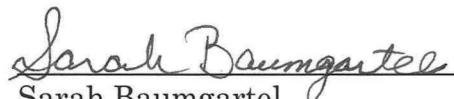
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**APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED  
*IN FORMA PAUPERIS***

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Petitioner Anthony Christopher Mendonca 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  
January 30, 2024

  
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