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IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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RICHARD DEWAYNE LEWIS,  
*Petitioner,*

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
*Respondent.*

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JAMES SCOTT, JR.,  
*Petitioner,*

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
*Respondent.*

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

Petitioners ask leave to file the attached petition for a writ of certiorari without prepayment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

Petitioners have previously been granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in the following courts:

Richard Lewis:

U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia,  
Case No. 3:03-cr-0309, by oral order entered April 5, 2022;  
and

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit, Case No.  
22-4291, by written order dated May 18, 2022.

James Scott:

U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia,  
Case No. 3:07-cr-0066, by oral order entered November  
14, 2022; and

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit, Case No.  
22-4703, by written order dated December 8, 2022.

Because appellate counsel was appointed pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act of 1964, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, no affidavit or declaration of the petitioner is attached. *See* S. Ct. R. 39.1.

Respectfully submitted,



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