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IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES  
OCTOBER TERM, 2023

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BRIAN WRIGHT, *Petitioner*,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, et al., *Respondents*.

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On Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the  
United States Court of Appeals  
for the Ninth Circuit

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

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The Petitioner, Brian Wright, by and through his court-appointed counsel, Angela H. Dows, respectfully requests this Honorable Court for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in filing the attached Petition for Writ of Certiorari. In support of this request, Petitioner states that undersigned counsel was appointed pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act of 1964, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, by the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, and he is unable to retain counsel and pay for the costs attendant to the proceedings before the Honorable Court.

Petitioner, who is currently serving a federal prison sentence, was represented on appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit by appointed

counsel pursuant to an order of that Court under 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(a)(1)(A), (b), (c), (d)(7). Undersigned counsel was the appointed counsel of record for Mr. Wright in the Ninth Circuit.

WHEREFORE, the Petitioner, Brian Wright, respectfully requests that he be granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

Dated: July 18, 2024.

Respectfully submitted,

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