

No. _____
IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

NICHOLAS HAYEK,
Petitioner
vs.
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Respondent

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

MOTION TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

Petitioner Nicholas Hayek moves to proceed *in forma pauperis*. He is indigent, was allowed to proceed *in forma pauperis* in the courts below, and was appointed counsel by the United States District Court under 18 U.S.C. § 3006A. Accordingly, his motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* should be granted.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that the foregoing petition motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* has been served via first-class mail upon counsel for the Respondent Ms. Meghan Lynn Gomez, United States Attorney's Office for the Eastern District of Tennessee at Chattanooga, 220 W. Depot Street Suite 423 Greeneville, TN 37743, and Ms. Elizabeth Prelogar, Acting Solicitor General of the United States, Room 5614, Department of Justice, 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20530-0001, this 18th day of July, 2024.

/s/ Manuel B. Russ

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