

Record No. \_\_\_\_\_

In The  
**Supreme Court of the United States**

RICHARD TIPTON,

*Petitioner,*

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
*Respondent.*

**MOTION TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS**

Pursuant to Rule 39 and 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(d)(7), petitioner Richard Tipton requests leave to file the accompanying Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit without prepayment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*. In the court below petitioner was represented by undersigned counsel, who was appointed under the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(b) and (c).

Date: August 12, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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