

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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TISHEEM RICH,

Petitioner, No. _____

--against--

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Respondent.

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MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED
IN FORMA PAUPERIS

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that petitioner, Tisheem Rich, respectfully moves for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in connection with the above-captioned petition for a writ of *certiorari*. Mr. Rich was granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in the underlying proceedings in the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit and the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York. Margaret M. Shalley was appointed pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, *et seq.*, to represent Mr. Rich in the Eastern District of New York. Undersigned counsel was appointed pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, *et seq.*, to represent Mr. Rich for his direct appeal in the Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit.

WHEREFORE, it is respectfully requested that Tisheem Rich be granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in these proceedings.

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