

IN THE  
**Supreme Court of the United States**

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JERMAINE ALEXANDER FOSTER,

Petitioner,

v.

STATE OF FLORIDA,

Respondents.

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*On Petition for a Writ of Certiorari to the  
Supreme Court of Florida*

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**MOTION TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS***

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***THIS IS A CAPITAL CASE***

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Petitioner, **JERMAINE ALEXANDER FOSTER**, asks leave of this Court, pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 39, to proceed *in forma pauperis* (IFP) in connection with his petition for a writ of certiorari. Mr. Foster is an indigent prisoner on Florida's death row.

Mr. Foster was previously granted IFP status by Florida's state and federal courts. Counsel of record for Mr. Foster in this Court, the Capital Habeas Unit of the Office of the Federal Public Defender for the Northern District of Florida, was appointed to represent Mr. Foster by the United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida, under 18 U.S.C. § 3599.

Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 39, Mr. Foster respectfully requests that he be allowed to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

Respectfully submitted,  
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