

No. 17-312

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IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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UNITED STATES,  
*Petitioner*

v.

RENE SANCHEZ-GOMEZ, ET AL.,  
*Respondent*

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**Motion for Leave to Proceed In Forma Pauperis**

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Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A and Supreme Court Rule 39, the respondent, Rene Sanchez-Gomez, asks for leave to file an Opposition to Petitioner's Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit without prepayment of fees or costs and to proceed in forma pauperis.

The respondents were represented by counsel appointed pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A in the district court and on appeal to the Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.

Respectfully submitted,

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