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COMES NOW Petitioner, Wansolo B. Hughley, by his attorney, Rebecca L. Kurz, Research and Writing Specialist, Federal Public Defender, Western District of Missouri, and moves this Court, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1915, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(d)(6) and Sup. Ct. R. 39.1 and .2, for leave to file a petition for writ of certiorari to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit without prepayment of docket or other fees, and to proceed In Forma Pauperis. The petition accompanies this motion.

United States Magistrate Judge John Maughmer appointed the Federal Public Defender Office to represent Mr. Hughley pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act on October 1, 2014. Mr. Hughley was indicted in the United States District Court, Western District of Missouri, for being a felon in possession of ammunition on August 26, 2014. Following Mr. Hughley's guilty plea and sentence, he appealed his sentence of 20 months of imprisonment. On appeal the Federal

Defender continued to represent Mr. Hughley without payment of fees or costs or security and without filing the affidavit required by 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a), all pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(d)(6).

Because both the United States District Court for the Western District of Missouri and the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit permitted Mr. Hughley to proceed In Forma Pauperis and appointed counsel for him, no affidavit in support of this Motion to Proceed In Forma Pauperis in this Court is required. 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(d)(6) and Sup. Ct. R. 39.1.

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