No._____

In The
Supreme Court of the United States

ROBERT VERNON SCOTT,

Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Respondent.

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

Petitioner, Robert Vernon Scott, through his attorney, who was appointed pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, respectfully moves this Court to grant leave to continue to proceed *in forma pauperis*. In support of this motion, counsel states:

1. Pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, on March 13, 2014, the United States Magistrate Judge for the District of South Carolina appointed the the undersigned to represent Mr. Scott before the United States District Court for the District of South Carolina.
2. On May 4, 2017, the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit appointed the undersigned to represent Mr. Scott on appeal.

3. Mr. Scott has indicated that he wishes that the undersigned present this petition to the Court.
4. Mr. Scott is currently incarcerated, serving the sentence he challenges in this petition. As far as counsel is aware, Mr. Scott continues to be indigent.

For these reasons, petitioner Robert Vernon Scott moves this Court to grant leave for him to proceed *in forma pauperis* before this Court.

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