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#### IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

#### THOMAS JAMES MOORE

Petitioner,

VS.

# SECRETARY, FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS,

Respondent.

#### MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

#### CAPITAL CASE

Petitioner, Thomas J. Moore, moves the Court to permit him to proceed in forma pauperis in this proceeding. Petitioner has been found indigent by each state court in which he has challenged his conviction and death sentence and has been allowed to proceed in forma pauperis before the Florida Supreme Court, the Circuit Court of the 4th Judicial Circuit in and for Duval County, Florida, the United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida, and the United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit. Counsel was appointed on April 13, 2022, by the United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida following the death of Petitioner's prior appointed counsel.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner moves the Court to proceed in forma pauperis in this proceeding.

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## Attachment A

Order Appointing the CHU

Moore v. Sec'y, Fla. Dept. of Corr., et al.,

No. 3:06-cv-127-MMH (Doc 66; M.D. Fla.)

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA JACKSONVILLE DIVISION

THOMAS JAMES MOORE,

Petitioner,

v. Case No.: 3:06-cv-127-MMH

SECRETARY, FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS, et al.,

Respondents.

### **ORDER**

Marie F. Donnelly of the Office of the Capital Habeas Unit for the Middle District of Florida (CHU) moves to substitute counsel for Petitioner as his sole counsel, Martin McClain, has died (Doc. 53). There is no opposition to the Motion. Because Petitioner will be represented by counsel and counsel's substitution will have no effect on case management, the Court **grants** the Motion (Doc. 53); appoints the CHU to represent Petitioner; and directs the Clerk to amend the docket accordingly.

**DONE AND ORDERED** at Jacksonville, Florida, this 13th day of April, 2022.

MARCIA MORALES HOWARD United States District Judge caw 4/12

c: Counsel of Record