

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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

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JAIRO ARNALDO JACOME,

*Petitioner,*

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

*Respondent.*

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On Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the  
United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit

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

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Petitioner, Jairo Arnaldo Jacome, pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 39 and 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(d)(7) seeks leave to file the attached Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit without prepayment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

Petitioner was represented by counsel appointed under the Criminal Justice Act in the district court and on appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit. Mr. Jacome has been incarcerated since his arrest on a related federal case on April 24, 2018, and remains indigent. Through counsel, he will file in this Court a *Petition for Writ of Certiorari* and wishes to do so *in forma pauperis*.

WHEREFORE, Mr. Jacome asks this Court to grant this motion and allow him to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

Respectfully submitted,

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