

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

BILLY J. GRIFFITH,
Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Respondent.

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

Pursuant to Rule 39 of the Rules of the Supreme Court of the United States, the Petitioner, Billy J. Griffith, asks leave to file the accompanying Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals without payment of costs and to proceed in forma pauperis. In support of this motion, Mr. Griffith states as follows:

1. The Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the form prescribed by Rule 14 of the Rules of this Court, with Appendix attached, is submitted for filing along with this motion.

2. The Petitioner, Billy J. Griffith, was determined to be indigent by the United States District Court for the Southern District of West Virginia and counsel was appointed to him on October 11, 2022 pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §3006A and he has remained incarcerated since then and remains indigent.

Respectfully submitted,

BILLY J. GRIFFITH, Petitioner

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