

No. 26-\_\_\_\_\_

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

THOMAS RUTTER WOOLLACOTT,

PETITIONER,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

RESPONDENT.

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MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN *FORMA PAUPERIS*

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The petitioner, Thomas Rutter Woollacott, by counsel, respectfully moves the Court for leave to file the accompanying Petition for a Writ of Certiorari to the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit without prepayment of fees and costs and to proceed in *forma pauperis* pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 39.

The District Court for the Western District of Kentucky found Mr. Woollacott eligible for court-appointed counsel and appointed the Office of the Federal Defender. Counsel from the Federal Community Defender for the Western District of Kentucky represented Mr. Woollacott in the District Court and on appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit. 18 U.S.C. § 3006A (b), (c).

**Wherefore**, the petitioner, Thomas Rutter Woollacott, by counsel,  
respectfully moves the Court to grant him leave to proceed in *forma pauperis*.

  
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