The Petitioner, Lance James Talbot, by and through his court-appointed counsel, John C. Arceci, Assistant Federal Public Defender for the Districts of Colorado and Wyoming, respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant Mr. Talbot's leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in petitioning for a Writ of Certiorari. In support of this request, Petitioner states that undersigned counsel was appointed

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pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, by the United States

Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit, and that Mr. Talbot is unable to retain

counsel and pay for costs attendant to the proceedings before this Honorable Court.

WHEREFORE, the Petitioner, Lance James Talbot, respectfully requests that he be granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

Respectfully submitted,

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