

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF WASHINGTON COUNTY,
ARKANSAS**

PLAINTIFF

CASE NO. _____

DEFENDANT

MOTION TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

COMES NOW the Petitioner in the above captioned action, and upon the petition in this cause and the affidavits in support of this motion attached hereto, moves this court to permit _____, Petitioner, to proceed in this action in forma pauperis, and to enter its order waiving the costs of this action as to the Petitioner.

Pro Se

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No. _____

IN RE PETITION OF _____ TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

**AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF REQUEST TO PROCEED IN
FORMA PAUPERIS**

I, _____, being first duly sworn, depose and say that I am the petitioner in the above entitled case; that in support of my motion to proceed without being required to prepay fees, costs or give security therefore, I state that because of my poverty I am unable to pay the costs of said proceeding or to give security therefore; that I believe I am entitled to redress.

I further swear that the responses which I have made to questions and instructions below are true.

1. Are you presently employed? Yes _____ No _____

a. If the answer is yes, state the amount of your salary or wages per month, and give the name and address of your employer.

b. If the answer is no, state the date of last employment and the amount of salary and wages per month which you received.

2. Have you received within the past twelve months any money from any of the following resources?

- a. Business, profession, or any form of self-employment? Yes ___ No ___
- b. Rent payments, interest or dividends? Yes ___ No ___
- c. Pension, annuities, or life insurance payments? Yes ___ No ___
- d. Gifts or inheritances? Yes ___ No ___
- e. Any other sources? Yes ___ No ___

If the answer to any of the above is yes, describe each source of money and state the amount received from each during the past twelve months.

3. Do you own any cash or do you have any money in checking or savings accounts? Yes ___ No ___

If the answer is Yes, state the total amount in each account.

4. Do you own real estate, stocks, bonds, notes automobiles or other valuable property (excluding ordinary household furnishings and clothing)? Yes ___ No ___

If the answer is Yes, describe the property and state its approximate value.

5. List the persons who are dependent upon you for support, state your relationship to those persons, and indicate how much you contribute toward their support.

[6. TO BE COMPLETED ONLY IF PETITIONER IS INCARCERATED IN THE AKRANSAS DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION OR ANY OTHER PENAL INSTITUTION.

Do you have any funds in the inmate welfare funds? Yes ___ No ___

If the answer is Yes, state the total amount in such account and have the certificate found below completed by the authorized officer of the institution.]

I UNDERSTAND THAT A FALSE STATEMENT OR ANSWER TO ANY QUESTIONS IN THIS AFFIDAVIT WILL SUBJECT ME TO PENALTIES FOR PERJURY.

Signature of Petitioner

STATE OF _____
COUNTY OF _____

PETITIONER, _____, BEING FIRST DULY SWORN UNDER OATH, PERSENTS THAT HE/SHE HAS READ AND SUBSCRIBED TO THE ABOVE AND STATES THAT THE INFORMATION THEREIN IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN BEFORE ME THIS _____ DAY OF _____, _____.

NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:

[(TO BE COMPLETED BY AUTHORIZED OFFICER OF PENAL INSTITUTION)]

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the petitioner herein, _____, has the sum of
\$ _____ on account to his/her credit at the _____
institution where her/she is confined.

I further certify that petitioner likewise has the following securities to her/her credit
according to the records of said institution:

Authorized Officer of Institution]

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ORDER

ON THIS _____ DAY OF _____, _____ is presented the verified motion of the plaintiff, praying for permission to prosecute this action as a poor person without payment of costs.

Upon examination of motion and affidavits, the court finds that such motion should be granted.

WHEREFORE, it is by the court ordered that the plaintiff be permitted to prosecute this action without payment of fees, and the Clerk of this court and any sheriff of the State of Arkansas are directed respectively to receive the filing of this suit, and subsequent appropriate filings therein, and to serve appropriate papers in this action without assessment or collection of customary fees.

Circuit Judge