

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

IN THE

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

Washington, DC 20543-0001

Lorraine D. Black — PETITIONER  
(Your Name)

Life Unlimited/ConcernCare VS. RESPONDENT(S)

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Lorraine D. Black, do swear or declare that on this date, 08, April, 2019, as required by Supreme Court Rule 29 I have served the enclosed MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS and PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI on each party to the above proceeding or that party's counsel, and on every other person required to be served, by depositing an envelope containing the above documents in the United States mail properly addressed to each of them and with first-class postage prepaid, or by delivery to a third-party commercial carrier for delivery within 3 calendar days.

The names and addresses of those served are as follows:

Life Unlimited/ConcernCare - 2135 Manor Way, Liberty, MO 64068  
Department of Mental Health - 821 E. Admiral Blvd, Kansas City, MO 64106  
Brown & James, PC, Steven H. Schwartz, Teresa M. Young, 800 North 17th Street, St. Louis, MO 63101  
United States Court of Appeals Eighth Circuit Clerk, 111 South 10th Street, St. Louis, MO 63102

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on 08, April, 2019

Lorraine D. Black  
(Signature)

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
WESTERN DIVISION

LORRAINE D. BLACK, )  
Plaintiff, ) Case No. 17-CV-00806-W-DW  
v. )  
LIFE UNLIMITED/CONCERN CARE, )  
Defendant. )

## ORDER

Before the Court is the pro se Plaintiff Lorraine D. Black's (the "Plaintiff") Application for Leave to File Action Without Payment of Fees. See Doc. 27. The Court construes the Application as a request for leave to appeal *in forma pauperis*, as Plaintiff has also filed a Notice of Appeal. Doc. 29.

Upon review of the record, Plaintiff's Application (Doc. 27) is hereby GRANTED. See Fed. R. App. P. 24. The Clerk of Court shall mail a copy of this Order to Plaintiff via regular mail, return receipt requested, at her last known address.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date: February 2, 2018

/s/ Dean Whipple  
Dean Whipple  
United States District Judge

**United States Court of Appeals**

***For The Eighth Circuit***

Thomas F. Eagleton U.S. Courthouse  
111 South 10th Street, Room 24.329

**St. Louis, Missouri 63102**

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*Clerk of Court*

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February 02, 2018

Ms. Lorraine Black  
8422 N. Beaman Avenue  
Kansas City, MO 64154

RE: 18-1258 Lorraine Black v. Life Unlimited/Concern Care

Dear Ms. Black:

The district court clerk has transmitted a notice of appeal in this matter, and we have docketed it under the caption and case number shown above. Please include the caption and the case number on all correspondence or pleadings submitted to this court.

Counsel in the case must supply the clerk with an Appearance Form. Counsel may download or fill out an Appearance Form on the "Forms" page on our web site at [www.ca8.uscourts.gov](http://www.ca8.uscourts.gov).

The court has established a briefing schedule for the case, a copy of which will be forwarded under separate notice of docket activity. Please refer to the schedule and note the key filing dates. You should also review Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure 28 and 32, as well as Eighth Circuit Rules 28A and 32A.

The court will consider the case on the original file of the district court, and you do not need to file any additional record materials. If a transcript is required, you should file a motion with this court seeking preparation of a transcript at government expense. Your motion should specify what portions of the transcript you wish to have prepared and it should provide an explanation as to why these portions are necessary for the appeal. Please note that motions for appointment of counsel are rarely granted in pro se civil cases.

The court has directed the clerk's office to monitor and enforce compliance with the briefing schedule. Failure to file your brief will result in the issuance of a show cause order and may lead to dismissal of the appeal. Requests for extensions of time must be timely and should establish good cause. Overlength briefs are strongly discouraged.

Please note that service by pro se parties is governed by Eighth Circuit Rule 25B. A copy of the rule and additional information is attached to the pro se party's copy of this notice.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
Western District of Missouri  
Office of the Clerk

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*Court Executive*

400 E. 9th St., Rm. 1510  
Kansas City, MO 64106  
816-512-5000

March 13, 2018

Ms. Lorraine Black  
8422 N. Beaman Avenue  
Kansas City, MO 64154

Re: 18-1258- Black

Dear Ms. Black,

Please be advised, your case is currently under the jurisdiction of the 8<sup>th</sup> Circuit Court of Appeals. Any documentation regarding your appeal should be sent directly to:

Clerk of Court  
Thomas F. Eagleton Courthouse  
111 South 10th Street  
Room 24.329  
St. Louis, MO. 63102

I have forwarded the attached letter on your behalf to the Court of Appeals for you. Please be sure any future filings regarding his matter are sent directly to the Court of Appeals; also please be sure to include your case number 18-1258 on all documentation.

Please contact me if you have any questions. Thank you.

Regards,

  
Lindsey Ellis  
Case Processing Specialist