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No. 18A945

IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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Supreme Court, U.S.  
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Todd ALLEN Wheeler PETITIONER  
(Your Name)

VS.

— RESPONDENT(S)

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

The petitioner asks leave to file the attached petition for a writ of certiorari without prepayment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

Please check the appropriate boxes:

Petitioner has previously been granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in the following court(s):

Michigan Court of Appeals, Michigan Supreme Court

Petitioner has **not** previously been granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in any other court.

Petitioner's affidavit or declaration in support of this motion is attached hereto.

Petitioner's affidavit or declaration is **not** attached because the court below appointed counsel in the current proceeding, and:

The appointment was made under the following provision of law: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, or

a copy of the order of appointment is appended.

Todd Wheeler  
(Signature)

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## FEDERAL COURT - CIVIL ACTION

Prisoner-Plaintiff/Petitioner/Appellant name and number <b>Todd Wheeler #313894</b>
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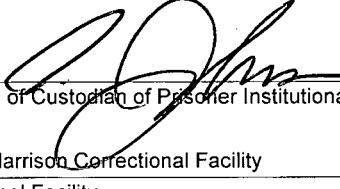
Defendant's/Respondent's/Appellee's Name <b>State of Michigan</b>
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I am employed by the Michigan Department of Corrections at the facility identified below, at which the prisoner identified as the Plaintiff/Petitioner/Appellant is currently incarcerated.

Attached is a computer printout which accurately reflects the current spendable balance and all activity within this prisoner's account during the preceding six months or, if the prisoner has been incarcerated for less than six months, for the period of incarceration. Code "C" on the printout represents a withdrawal from the account and code "D" represents a deposit to the account. The attached printout reflects, for the reported period, an average monthly account deposit (i.e., total deposits divided by number of months) of \$14.54, an average monthly account balance (i.e., total deposits minus total withdrawals divided by number of months) \$0.00. There is a current spendable account balance of \$0.06.

Date 6/14/2019

  
Signature of Custodian of Prisoner Institutional/Trust Fund Account

Gus Harrison Correctional Facility  
Correctional Facility

**AFFIDAVIT OR DECLARATION  
IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS***

I, Todd Wheeler, am the petitioner in the above-entitled case. In support of my motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*, I state that because of my poverty I am unable to pay the costs of this case or to give security therefor; and I believe I am entitled to redress.

1. For both you and your spouse estimate the average amount of money received from each of the following sources during the past 12 months. Adjust any amount that was received weekly, biweekly, quarterly, semiannually, or annually to show the monthly rate. Use gross amounts, that is, amounts before any deductions for taxes or otherwise.

<b>Income source</b>	<b>Average monthly amount during the past 12 months</b>		<b>Amount expected next month</b>	
	<b>You</b>	<b>Spouse</b>	<b>You</b>	<b>Spouse</b>
Employment	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Self-employment	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Income from real property (such as rental income)	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Interest and dividends	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Gifts	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Alimony	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Child Support	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Retirement (such as social security, pensions, annuities, insurance)	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Disability (such as social security, insurance payments)	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Unemployment payments	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Public-assistance (such as welfare)	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Other (specify): <u><i>n/a</i></u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
<b>Total monthly income:</b>	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>

2. List your employment history for the past two years, most recent first. (Gross monthly pay is before taxes or other deductions.)

Employer	Address	Dates of Employment	Gross monthly pay
<i>n/a</i>	<i>n/a</i>	<i>I have been locked up for the last 5 yrs</i>	<i>\$ n/a</i>
<i>n/a</i>	<i>n/a</i>		<i>\$ n/a</i>
<i>n/a</i>	<i>n/a</i>		<i>\$ n/a</i>

3. List your spouse's employment history for the past two years, most recent employer first. (Gross monthly pay is before taxes or other deductions.)

Employer	Address	Dates of Employment	Gross monthly pay
<i>n/a</i>	<i>n/a</i>	<i>n/a</i>	<i>\$ n/a</i>
<i>n/a</i>	<i>n/a</i>	<i>n/a</i>	<i>\$ n/a</i>
<i>n/a</i>	<i>n/a</i>	<i>n/a</i>	<i>\$ n/a</i>

4. How much cash do you and your spouse have? \$ *n/a*  
Below, state any money you or your spouse have in bank accounts or in any other financial institution.

Financial institution	Type of account	Amount you have	Amount your spouse has
<i>n/a</i>	<i>n/a</i>	<i>\$ n/a</i>	<i>\$ n/a</i>
<i>n/a</i>	<i>n/a</i>	<i>\$ n/a</i>	<i>\$ n/a</i>
<i>n/a</i>	<i>n/a</i>	<i>\$ n/a</i>	<i>\$ n/a</i>

5. List the assets, and their values, which you own or your spouse owns. Do not list clothing and ordinary household furnishings.

<input type="checkbox"/> Home	<input type="checkbox"/> Other real estate
Value <u><i>n/a</i></u>	Value <u><i>n/a</i></u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle #1	<input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle #2
Year, make & model <u><i>n/a</i></u>	Year, make & model <u><i>n/a</i></u>
Value <u><i>n/a</i></u>	Value <u><i>n/a</i></u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Other assets	
Description <u><i>n/a</i></u>	
Value _____	

6. State every person, business, or organization owing you or your spouse money, and the amount owed.

Person owing you or your spouse money	Amount owed to you	Amount owed to your spouse
<u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
<u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
<u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>

7. State the persons who rely on you or your spouse for support.

Name	Relationship	Age
<u>n/a</u>	<u>n/a</u>	
<u>n/a</u>	<u>n/a</u>	
<u>n/a</u>	<u>n/a</u>	

8. Estimate the average monthly expenses of you and your family. Show separately the amounts paid by your spouse. Adjust any payments that are made weekly, biweekly, quarterly, or annually to show the monthly rate.

	You	Your spouse
Rent or home-mortgage payment (include lot rented for mobile home)	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Are real estate taxes included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
Is property insurance included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
Utilities (electricity, heating fuel, water, sewer, and telephone)	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Food	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Clothing	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Laundry and dry-cleaning	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>
Medical and dental expenses	\$ <u>n/a</u>	\$ <u>n/a</u>

	You	Your spouse
Transportation (not including motor vehicle payments)	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>
Recreation, entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc.	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>
Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
Homeowner's or renter's	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>
Life	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>
Health	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>
Motor Vehicle	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>
Other: <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>
Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
(specify): <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>
Installment payments		
Motor Vehicle	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>
Credit card(s)	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>
Department store(s)	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>
Other: <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>
Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others		
	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>
Regular expenses for operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement)		
	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>
Other (specify): <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>
<b>Total monthly expenses:</b>		
	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>	\$ <u><u>n/a</u></u>

9. Do you expect any major changes to your monthly income or expenses or in your assets or liabilities during the next 12 months?

Yes  No If yes, describe on an attached sheet.

10. Have you paid – or will you be paying – an attorney any money for services in connection with this case, including the completion of this form?  Yes  No

If yes, how much? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, state the attorney's name, address, and telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

11. Have you paid—or will you be paying—anyone other than an attorney (such as a paralegal or a typist) any money for services in connection with this case, including the completion of this form?

Yes  No

If yes, how much? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, state the person's name, address, and telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Provide any other information that will help explain why you cannot pay the costs of this case.

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

Executed on: June 27, 2019

Tom Wheeler  
(Signature)