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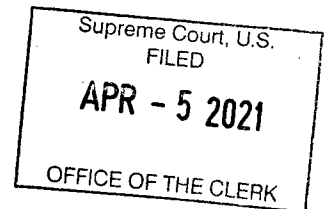
In the
Supreme Court of the United States

No. _____

Lisa A. Biron,
Petitioner,

v.

United States of America,
Respondent

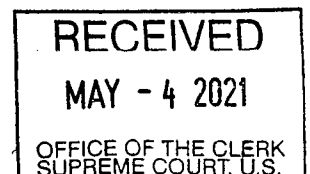


Motion for Leave to Proceed In Forma Pauperis

The Petitioner seeks leave to file the attached Petition for A writ of Certiorari without prepayment of costs and to proceed in forma pauperis.

Petitioner was determined to be indigent in the underlying criminal proceeding and was granted leave to proceed in forma pauperis in November 2012 by the United States District Court for the District of New Hampshire in United States v. Biron, no. 12-CR-140.

Petitioner has submitted a financial affidavit or declaration even though Petitioner was appointed counsel under the Criminal Justice Act in that proceeding, and her financial situation has remained unchanged, and her § 2235 proceeding is a continuation of her criminal case.



Wherefore, Petitioner respectfully requests this Honorable Court grant her leave to proceed in forma Pauperis, and accept the attached Petition for A writ of Certiorari.

Respectfully submitted,

4/5/2021

Date

Lisa Biron

Lisa A. Biron, Reg. # 12715-049
Federal Correctional Institution
P.O. Box 1731
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**AFFIDAVIT OR DECLARATION
IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS***

I, Lisa A Biron, 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.

Income source	Average monthly amount during the past 12 months		Amount expected next month	
	You	Spouse	You	Spouse
Employment - Prison job	\$ <u>10.00</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>10.00</u>	\$ _____
Self-employment	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Income from real property (such as rental income)	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Interest and dividends	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Gifts	\$ <u>150.00</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>150.00</u>	\$ _____
Alimony	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Child Support	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Retirement (such as social security, pensions, annuities, insurance)	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Disability (such as social security, insurance payments)	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Unemployment payments	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Public-assistance (such as welfare)	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Other (specify): _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Total monthly income:	\$ <u>160.00</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>160.00</u>	\$ <u>NA</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
NA			\$
			\$
			\$

I have been in federal prison for 8 years

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
NA			\$
			\$
			\$

4. How much cash do you and your spouse have? \$ _____
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
NA		\$	\$
		\$	\$
		\$	\$

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

NONE

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|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Home
Value _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Other real estate
Value _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle #1
Year, make & model _____
Value _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle #2
Year, make & model _____
Value _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other assets
Description _____
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 *NA* Amount owed to you Amount owed to your spouse

_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____

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

Name

Relationship

NA Age

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

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.

NA
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Rent or home-mortgage payment
(include lot rented for mobile home)

Are real estate taxes included? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Is property insurance included? ☐ Yes ☐ No

You

Your spouse

\$ _____	\$ _____
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Utilities (electricity, heating fuel,
water, sewer, and telephone)

\$ _____	\$ _____
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Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)

\$ _____	\$ _____
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Food

\$ _____	\$ _____
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Clothing

\$ _____	\$ _____
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Laundry and dry-cleaning

\$ _____	\$ _____
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Medical and dental expenses

\$ _____	\$ _____
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	You	Your spouse
Transportation (not including motor vehicle payments)	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ _____
Recreation, entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc.	\$ _____	\$ _____
Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
Homeowner's or renter's	\$ _____	\$ _____
Life	\$ _____	\$ _____
Health	\$ _____	\$ _____
Motor Vehicle	\$ _____	\$ _____
Other: _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
(specify): _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Installment payments		
Motor Vehicle	\$ _____	\$ _____
Credit card(s)	\$ _____	\$ _____
Department store(s)	\$ _____	\$ _____
Other: _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others	\$ _____	\$ _____
Regular expenses for operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement)	\$ _____	\$ _____
Other (specify): <u>Postage, Photo, Over the Counter Medications + hygiene products</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____
Total monthly expenses:	\$ <u>160.00</u>	\$ <u>NA</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 have no assets. I have been in federal prison for eight years.

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

Executed on: April 21, 2021

Lisa Liron

(Signature)