

21-5148

No. _____

ORIGINAL

IN THE

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

GREGORY DEW — PETITIONER, *pro se*

vs.

LASHANN EPPINGER, WARDEN — RESPONDENT

MOTION TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

The Petitioner seeks leave to file the attached Petition for a Writ of Certiorari without payment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

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

1. Petitioner's Motion to Proceed In Forma Pauperis to the Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals was granted for *Dew v. Eppinger*, Case No. No. 20-3413.

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

Executed on 7/6, 2021.



Gregory Dew, #543-986

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

I, Gregory Dew, 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	\$ -0-	\$ N/A	\$ -0-	\$ N/A
Self-employment	\$ -0-	\$ N/A	\$ -0-	\$ N/A
Income from real property (such as rental income)	\$ -0-	\$ N/A	\$ -0-	\$ N/A
Interest and dividends	\$ -0-	\$ N/A	\$ -0-	\$ N/A
Gifts	\$ -0-	\$ N/A	\$ -0-	\$ N/A
Alimony	\$ -0-	\$ N/A	\$ -0-	\$ N/A
Child Support	\$ -0-	\$ N/A	\$ -0-	\$ N/A
Retirement (such as social security, pensions, annuities, insurance)	\$ -0-	\$ N/A	\$ -0-	\$ N/A
Disability (such as social security, insurance payments)	\$ -0-	\$ N/A	\$ -0-	\$ N/A
Unemployment payments	\$ -0-	\$ N/A	\$ -0-	\$ N/A
Public-assistance (such as welfare)	\$ -0-	\$ N/A	\$ -0-	\$ N/A
Other (specify): _____	\$ -0-	\$ N/A	\$ -0-	\$ N/A
Total monthly income:	\$ -0-	\$ N/A	\$ -0-	\$ N/A

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
N/A	N/A	N/A	\$ N/A
			\$
			\$

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
N/A			\$
			\$
			\$

4. How much cash do you and your spouse have? \$ 2800.00*

Below, state any money you or your spouse have in bank accounts or in any other financial institution. * The \$2800.00 is in Petitioner's inmate account and is from recent stimulus money and money in the from of loans from Barbara Dew.

Financial institution	Type of account	Amount you have	Amount your spouse has
N/A	N/A	\$ N/A	\$ N/A
		\$	\$
		\$	\$

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

☐ Home

Value N/A

☐ Other real estate

Value N/A

☐ Motor Vehicle #1

Year, make & model N/A

Value

☐ Motor Vehicle #2

Year, make & model N/A

Value

☐ Other assets

Description N/A

Value

Person owing you or your spouse money	Amount owed to you	Amount owed to your spouse
N/A	\$ N/A	\$ N/A
	\$	\$
	\$	\$

Name	Relationship	Age
N/A		

	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 type="checkbox"/> No		
Is property insurance included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input 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>\$2.25</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Medical and dental expenses	\$ <u>\$2.00</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>

	You	Your spouse
Transportation (not including motor vehicle payments)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Recreation, entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc.	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
Homeowner's or renter's	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Life	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Health	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Motor Vehicle	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Other: _____	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
(specify): _____	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Installment payments		
Motor Vehicle	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Credit card(s)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Department store(s)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Other: _____	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Regular expenses for operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Other (specify): _____	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Total monthly expenses:	\$ <u>4.25</u>	\$ <u>N/A</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

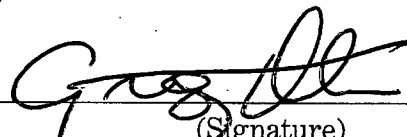
If yes, how much? _____

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.

^{See next page.}
I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on: July 6, 2021


(Signature)

Other information that will help explain why I cannot pay the costs of this case are as follows:

I was declared indigent at the time of my trial. I am divorced and have no income other than my state pay, which covers my medical, hygiene and laundry needs that I have to purchase where I am incarcerated.

The money on my inmate account came from the COVID-19 stimulus checks and money provided as a loan per an agreement with Barbara Dew. The money from Barbara Dew represents a liability and not an asset.

In addition, I owe an outstanding balance of over \$150,000.00 to Barbara Dew for loan assistance for prior legal fees. I also owe over \$60,000.00 in student loans. I apologize for not being able to pay the costs of this case.

July 6, 2021

Clerk, United States Supreme Court
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Washington, DC 20543

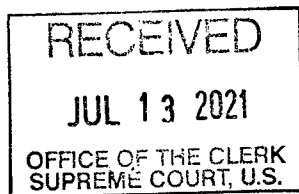
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Re: Case number assignment for the Petition for a Writ of Certiorari for *Dew v. Eppinger*, Case No. 20-3413 from the Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals.

Dear Clerk of Courts:

I am writing this letter to address the fact that I had previously filed a Motion for an Extension of Time to file my Petition for a Writ of Certiorari. I am filing my Petition timely, prior to receiving a ruling on the extension of time. I am unaware as to whether a case number has been previously assigned to this case.

Thank you in advance for your kind consideration of this matter. Please contact me should you require anything additional.



Sincerely & respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gregory Dew". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

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P.S. I HAD NO WAY TO SECURE THE
TOP CORNER OF THE PETITION PRIOR TO
MAILING.