

No. 21-5426

IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

Stephen C. Shockley - PETITIONER

vs.

Bobby Lumpkin, Director TDCJ CID - RESPONDENT

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

FILED

AUG 11 2021

OFFICE OF THE CLERK
SUPREME COURT, U.S.

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):

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 provisions of law: _____, or _____

a copy of the order of appointment is appended.


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Petitioner, Incarcerated, Pro-se

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

I, Stephen C. Shockley, 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 money that was received weekly, biweekly, quarterly, semiannually, or annually to show the monthly rate. Use gross 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 Property	\$0	N/A	\$0	N/A
Interest & 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	\$2,148	N/A	\$2,148	N/A
Disability	\$75	N/A	\$75	N/A
Unemployment	\$0	N/A	\$0	N/A
Public Assistance	\$0	N/A	\$0	N/A
Other Federal Stimulus	\$266	N/A	\$0	N/A
 TOTAL MONTHLY Income	 \$2,489	 N/A	 \$2,223	 N/A

2. List your employment history for the past two years, most recent first.

EMPLOYER	ADDRESS	DATES OF EMPLOYMENT	GROSS MONTHLY PAY
None	None	None	None

3. List your spouse's employment history for the past two years, most recent first.

EMPLOYER	ADDRESS	DATES OF EMPLOYMENT	GROSS MONTHLY PAY
Fed. Government	Unknown	Unknown (present)	Unknown

4. How much cash do you and your spouse have? \$0

Below state any money you or your spouse have in bank accounts or in any other financial institutions.

TYPE OF ACCOUNT	AMOUNT YOU HAVE	AMOUNT YOUR SPOUSE HAS
Inmate Trust Fund	\$4,300	Unknown

5. List the assets, and their values, which you own or your spouse owns.

<input type="checkbox"/> Home (Value: NONE)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other Real Estate (Value: NONE)
<input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle #1 NONE	<input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle #2 NONE
<input type="checkbox"/> Other Assets NONE	

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 TO SPOUSE
NONE	\$0	\$0

7. State the persons who rely on you or your spouse for support. For minor children list initials instead of names.

NAME	RELATIONSHIP	AGE
Caitlin A. Shockley	Daughter	19 (College student)
E.S.	Daughter	11

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

	YOU	SPOUSE
Rent or home-mortgage payment	\$0	Unknown
Utilities (Inmate Phone Calls)	\$100	Unknown
Home Maintenance	\$0	Unknown
Food (Commissary)	\$180	Unknown
Clothing (Under garments)	\$5	Unknown
Laundry and dry-cleaning	\$0	Unknown
Medical and Dental Expenses (Court-mandated Tricare health insurance for children)	\$40	Unknown

	YOU	SPOUSE
Transportation	\$0	Unknown
Recreation, books, newspapers, etc.	\$50	Unknown
Insurance		
Homeowner's or renter's	\$0	Unknown
Life	\$0	Unknown
Health	\$0	Unknown
Motor Vehicle	\$0	Unknown
Other: <u> </u>	\$0	Unknown
Taxes	\$0	Unknown
Installment Payments		
Motor Vehicle (for daughter)	\$150	Unknown
Credit Cards	\$0	Unknown
Department Stores	\$0	Unknown
Other: Student Loans	\$65	Unknown
Alimony, Maintenance, and support paid to others (family)	\$1,250	Unknown
Farm and Business Expenses	\$0	Unknown
Other: <u> </u>	\$0	Unknown
TOTAL MONTHLY EXPENSES:	\$1,840	Unknown

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

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

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

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

I am incarcerated proceeding pro-se with very limited access to outside resources, materials or support.

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

Executed on 30 July, 2021.



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