

Case No. 21-5965

ORIGINAL
IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

In re Jennifer L. Kammerer,

Petitioner.

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After denial of a Petition for Writ of Mandate on
December 20, 2020, by the
Supreme Court of California, *En Banc*.

**PETITION FOR A WRIT OF MANDAMUS
WITH APPENDICES**

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

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Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 39, Petitioner, JENNIFER L. KAMMERER, (hereinafter, "MS. KAMMERER"), *in pro se*, requests the Court grant her leave to file the attached PETITION FOR A WRIT OF MANDAMUS, without prepayment of costs and to proceed in *forma pauperis*. In support of this Motion, MS. KAMMERER avers that:

I.

MS. KAMMERER has **not** previously been granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in any other court in this matter.

II.

MS. KAMMERER proceeded below in the Supreme Court of California, *in pro se*.

III.

MS. KAMMERER'S Declaration in support of this motion is attached hereto.

Respectfully submitted this 7th day of October, 2021.

Respectfully Submitted:



Jennifer L. Kammerer,
Petitioner, Pro se

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

I, Jennifer L. Kemmerer, 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	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Self-employment	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Income from real property (such as rental income)	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Interest and dividends	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Gifts	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Alimony	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Child Support	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Retirement (such as social security, pensions, annuities, insurance)	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Disability (such as social security, insurance payments)	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Unemployment payments	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Public-assistance (such as welfare)	\$ <u>Medical</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>Medical</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Other (specify): <u>SSI</u> <u>Survivor's Benefits</u>	\$ <u>1,995.00</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>1,995.00</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Total monthly income:	\$ <u>1,995.00</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>1,995.00</u>	\$ <u>Ø</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
N/A			\$ 0
			\$
			\$

I have worked toward starting a mediation practice.
Not established yet.

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			\$ 0
			\$
			\$

4. How much cash do you ~~and your spouse~~ have? \$ 100.

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

Type of account (e.g., checking or savings)	Amount you have	Amount your spouse has
Cash	\$ 100.	\$ 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 _____

Motor Vehicle #1
Year, make & model 2013 128i BMW
Value \$9,000.

Motor Vehicle #2
Year, make & model _____
Value _____

Other assets
Description _____ N/A
Value _____

	You	Your spouse
Transportation (not including motor vehicle payments)	\$ 80.00	\$ N/A
Recreation, entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc.	\$ 7.00	\$
Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
Homeowner's or renter's	\$ 0	\$
Life	\$ 0	\$
Health	\$ 0	\$
Motor Vehicle	\$ 40.00	\$
Other: _____	\$ 0	\$
Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
(specify): _____	\$ 0	\$
Installment payments		
Motor Vehicle	\$ 80.00	\$
Credit card(s)	\$ 0	\$
Department store(s)	\$ 0	\$
Other: _____	\$ 0	\$
Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others	\$ 0	\$
Regular expenses for operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement)	\$ 0	\$
Other (specify): _____	\$ 0	\$
Total monthly expenses:	<u>\$ 1,857.1</u>	<u>\$ N/A</u>

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>	\$ _____	\$ _____
	\$ _____	\$ _____
	\$ _____	\$ _____

7. State the persons who rely on you or your spouse for support. For minor children, list initials instead of names (e.g. "J.S." instead of "John Smith").

Name	Relationship	Age
Kale J. Kammerer	Son	18
K.W.K.	Son	11e

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)	\$ 1,000.00	\$ N/A
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)	\$ 80.00	\$ N/A
Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)	\$ 20.00	\$ N/A
Food	\$ 500.00	\$ N/A
Clothing	\$ 18.00	\$ N/A
Laundry and dry-cleaning	\$ 20.00	\$ N/A
Medical and dental expenses	\$ 12.00	\$ N/A

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.

I hope to start practicing law again.
Or, mediation from a satellite office/zoom.

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? N/A

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

N/A

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? N/A

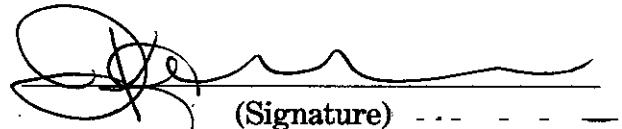
If yes, state the person's name, address, and telephone number:

N/A

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

I have spent the last few years raising my two boys and making sure all 3 of us received the trauma therapy and counseling we needed, after years of domestic violence. I have kept up on my continuing education credits and am ready for full employment. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on: October 7th, 2021


(Signature)