

No.

21-7515

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In the Supreme Court of the United States

PAULA ANTONIA GORDON,

Petitioner

v.

LESLIE NELSON PARKER, et al.

Respondents

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 **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.

Executed on March 17, 2022.

Paula Antonia Gordon
PAULA ANTONIA GORDON

ORIGINAL

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

I, Paula Antonia Gordon, 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- N/A	You	Spouse
Employment	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Self-employment	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
Income from real property (such as rental income)	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
Interest and dividends	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
Gifts	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
Alimony	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
Child Support	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
Retirement	\$ <u>1,376.00</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>1,376.00</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
Disability	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
Unemployment payments	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
Public assistance	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
Other (specify): <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
Total monthly income:	\$ <u>1,376.00</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>1,376.00</u>	\$ <u>0</u>

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

Employer	Address	Dates of Employment	Gross monthly pay
			\$ <u>N/A</u>
			\$ <u> </u>
			\$ <u>0</u>

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.) N/A

Employer	Address	Dates of Employment	Gross monthly pay
			\$ <u>N/A</u>
			\$ <u> </u>
			\$ <u>0</u>

4. How much cash do you ~~and your spouse~~ have? \$ 318.00
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
<u>checking</u>	\$ <u>624</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
<u>savings</u>	\$ <u>600</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
	\$ <u> </u>	\$ <u>0</u>

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

Home	Other real estate
Value \$200,000	Value <u>n/a</u> <u>0</u>
Motor Vehicle #1	Motor Vehicle #2 <u>n/a</u>
Year, make & model <u>2008 Honda Element</u>	Year, make & model <u>n/a</u>
Value \$5,000	Value <u>0</u>
Other assets	
Description <u>n/a</u>	Value <u>0</u>

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

Person owing you or
your spouse money

Amount owed to you

Amount owed to your spouse

\$ 0

\$ n/a

\$ 0

\$ 0

\$ 0

\$ 0

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

no one

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

N/A

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

Are real estate taxes included? Yes

Is property insurance included? Yes N/A

\$ 0

\$ 0

Utilities (electricity, heating fuel,
water, sewer, and telephone)

\$ 125

\$ 0

Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)

\$ 100

\$ 0

Food

\$ 300

\$ 0

Clothing

\$ 0

\$ 0

Laundry and dry-cleaning

\$ 0

\$ 0

Medical and dental expenses

\$ 100

\$ 0

You

N/A

Transportation (not including motor vehicle payments)

\$ 200

\$ 0

Recreation, entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc. \$ 0 \$0

Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)

Homeowner's or renter's \$ 200 \$0

Life \$ 20 \$0

Health \$ deducted \$0

Motor Vehicle \$ 120 \$0

Other: n/a \$ 0 \$ 0

Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)

(specify): property \$ 125 \$ 0

Installment payments

Motor Vehicle \$ 0 \$ 0

Credit card(s) \$ 0 \$

Department store(s) \$ 0 \$

Other: N/A \$ 0 \$

Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others \$ 0 \$

Regular expenses for operation of business, profession,
or farm (attach detailed statement) \$ 0 \$

Other (specify): N/A \$ 0 \$
N/A

Total monthly expenses: \$ 1,290.00 \$

9. Do you expect any major changes to your monthly income or expenses or in your assets or liabilities during the next 12 months? 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? 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? No
12. Provide any other information that will help explain why you cannot pay the costs of this case.

Financial hardship due to the pandemic.

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

Executed on March 17, 2022.


PAULA ANTONIA GORDON