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No. 22-7499

IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

JUDY THORPE,

Plaintiff-Petitioner,

vs.

ROSEMARIE CIPPARULO, ESQ. and WEISSMAN & MINTZ, LLC
Defendants-Respondents.

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

The Petitioner, Judy Thorpe, asks leave to file the attached petition for a writ of certiorari without prepayment of costs and to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

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

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

I, Judy Thorpe, 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>0</u> | \$ <u>NA</u> | \$ _____ | \$ <u>NA</u> |
| Self-employment | \$ <u>0</u> | \$ <u>NA</u> | \$ _____ | \$ <u>NA</u> |
| Income from real property (such as rental income) | \$ <u>0</u> | \$ <u>NA</u> | \$ _____ | \$ <u>NA</u> |
| Interest and dividends | \$ <u>0</u> | \$ <u>NA</u> | \$ _____ | \$ <u>NA</u> |
| Gifts | \$ <u>0</u> | \$ <u>NA</u> | \$ _____ | \$ <u>NA</u> |
| Alimony | \$ <u>0</u> | \$ <u>NA</u> | \$ _____ | \$ <u>NA</u> |
| Child Support | \$ <u>0</u> | \$ <u>NA</u> | \$ _____ | \$ <u>NA</u> |
| Retirement (such as social security, pensions, annuities, insurance) | \$ <u>0</u> | \$ <u>NA</u> | \$ _____ | \$ <u>NA</u> |
| Disability (such as social security, insurance payments) | \$ <u>2,700</u> | \$ <u>NA</u> | \$ <u>2,700</u> | \$ <u>NA</u> |
| Unemployment payments | \$ <u>0</u> | \$ <u>NA</u> | \$ _____ | \$ <u>NA</u> |
| Public-assistance (such as welfare) | \$ <u>0</u> | \$ <u>NA</u> | \$ _____ | \$ <u>NA</u> |
| Other (specify): _____ | \$ <u>0</u> | \$ <u>NA</u> | \$ _____ | \$ <u>NA</u> |
| Total monthly income: | \$ <u>2,700</u> | \$ <u>NA</u> | \$ <u>2,700</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 | NA | NA | \$ NA |

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 | NA | NA | \$ 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.

| Type of account (e.g., checking or savings) | Amount you have | Amount your spouse has |
|---|-----------------|------------------------|
| Checking | \$ 300.00 | \$ |
| | \$ | \$ |
| | \$ | \$ NA |

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

Home

Value 200,000

Other real estate

Value _____

Motor Vehicle #1

Year, make & model 2002 Mercedes

Motor Vehicle #2

Year, make & model _____

Value 15000 (one hundred fifty dollars) Value _____

Salvage title

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 | Amount owed to you | Amount owed to your spouse |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|
| _____ | \$? | \$ N/A |
| NA | \$ N/A | \$ N/A |
| _____ | \$ N/A | \$ N/A |

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 |
|-------|--------------|-------|
| _____ | _____ | _____ |
| NA | NA | NA |

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) | \$ 679.00 | \$ N/A |
| Are real estate taxes included? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | |
| Is property insurance included? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | |
| Utilities (electricity, heating fuel, water, sewer, and telephone) | \$ <u>Varies</u> ^{Winter} 800.00 | \$ N/A |
| Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep) | \$ <u>276.00</u> <small>Home owner's Association Fee</small> | \$ N/A |
| Food | \$ <u>400.00</u> | \$ N/A |
| Clothing | \$ <u>can not afford</u> | \$ N/A |
| Laundry and dry-cleaning | \$ <u>200.00</u> | \$ N/A |
| Medical and dental expenses | \$ <u>can not afford</u> <small>Dentist Medicare No Secondary</small> | \$ N/A |

| | You | Your spouse |
|---|--|-------------|
| Transportation (not including motor vehicle payments) | \$ 225.00 | \$ N A |
| Recreation, entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc. | \$ 0 | \$ N A |
| Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments) | | |
| Homeowner's or renter's | \$ | \$ N A |
| Life | \$ | \$ N A |
| Health | \$ | \$ N A |
| Motor Vehicle | \$ | \$ N A |
| Other: _____ | \$ | \$ N A |
| Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments) | | |
| (specify): _____ | \$ | \$ N A |
| Installment payments | | |
| Motor Vehicle | \$ 0 | \$ N A |
| Credit card(s) | \$ 3,000 | \$ N A |
| Department store(s) | \$ 200.00 monthly or more | \$ N A |
| Other: _____ | \$ | \$ N A |
| Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others | \$ | \$ N A |
| Regular expenses for operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement) | \$ | \$ N A |
| Other (specify): _____ | \$ | \$ N A |
| Total monthly expenses: | <u>2,7800</u> <u>\$ approximately</u> | \$ 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.

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? Initials 2016 11,000 out of pocket or more ↑

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? See above unforeseen legal expenses example: copies at staples.

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.

My self-representation has come with it's challenges, including but not limited to, my existing ADA-recognized medical condition of vigorous achalasia and esophageal stricture and their related symptoms; unforeseen legal expenses example copies at staples. I do not own a personal computer and printer. I seek understanding and consideration of these circumstances.

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

Executed on: March 17th, 2023

Judy Thyssen
(Signature)