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No.

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IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

Supreme Court, U.S.  
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TYRONE ANTHONY BELL — PETITIONER  
(Your Name)

VS.

HEIDI E. WASHINGTON, et. al. — RESPONDENT(S)

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

United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan

United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit

☐ 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 provision of law: \_\_\_\_\_, or

☐ a copy of the order of appointment is appended.

Tyrone Anthony Bell  
(Signature)

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

I, ~~Tyrone-Anthony Bell~~, 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	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00
Self-employment	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00
Income from real property (such as rental income)	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00
Interest and dividends	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00
Gifts	\$ 100.00	\$ .00	\$ 100.00	\$ .00
Alimony	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00
Child Support	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00
Retirement (such as social security, pensions, annuities, insurance)	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00
Disability (such as social security, insurance payments)	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00
Unemployment payments	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00
Public-assistance (such as welfare)	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00
Other (specify): _____	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00	\$ .00
<b>Total monthly income:</b>	<b>\$ 100.00</b>	<b>\$ .00</b>	<b>\$ 100.00</b>	<b>\$ .00</b>

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
None	None	None	\$ .00
			\$
			\$

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
None	None	None	\$ .00
			\$
			\$

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
MDOC prisoner account	\$ 231.39	\$ .00
	\$	\$
	\$	\$

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

☐ Home  
Value None

☐ Other real estate  
Value None

☐ Motor Vehicle #1  
Year, make & model None  
Value .00

☐ Motor Vehicle #2  
Year, make & model None  
Value .00

☐ Other assets  
Description None  
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
<u>Unmarried</u>	\$ <u>.00</u>	\$ <u>Unmarried</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
<u>None</u>	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

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)	\$ <u>.00</u>	\$ <u>.00</u>
Are real estate taxes included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
Is property insurance included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
Utilities (electricity, heating fuel, water, sewer, and telephone)	\$ <u>.00</u>	\$ <u>.00</u>
Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)	\$ <u>.00</u>	\$ <u>.00</u>
Food	\$ <u>76.38</u>	\$ <u>.00</u>
Clothing	\$ <u>.00</u>	\$ <u>.00</u>
Laundry and dry-cleaning	\$ <u>.00</u>	\$ <u>.00</u>
Medical and dental expenses	\$ <u>.00</u>	\$ <u>.00</u>

	You	Your spouse
Transportation (not including motor vehicle payments)	\$ .00	\$ .00
Recreation, entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc.	\$ .00	\$ .00
Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
Homeowner's or renter's	\$ .00	\$ .00
Life	\$ .00	\$ .00
Health	\$ .00	\$ .00
Motor Vehicle	\$ .00	\$ .00
Other: <u>None</u>	\$ .00	\$ .00
Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
(specify): <u>None Unemployed</u>	\$ .00	\$ .00
Installment payments		
Motor Vehicle	\$ .00	\$ .00
Credit card(s)	\$ .00	\$ .00
Department store(s)	\$ .00	\$ .00
Other: <u>None</u>	\$ .00	\$ .00
Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others	\$ .00	\$ .00
Regular expenses for operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement)	\$ .00	\$ .00
Other (specify): <u>Legal/Litigation</u>	\$ 68.43	\$ .00
<b>Total monthly expenses:</b>	\$ 144.81	\$ .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?

☐ 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

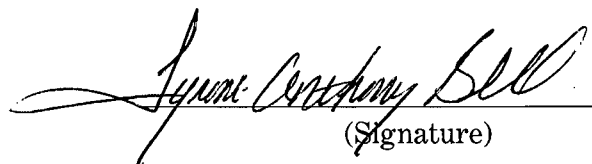
If yes, how much? \_\_\_\_\_

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.  
**I have pending civil and criminal legal actions in numerous other courts.**

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. 28 USC § 1746

Executed on January 25, 2024

  
(Signature)

FEDERAL COURT

Prisoner-Plaintiff/Petitioner/Appellant name and number  
Tyrone Anthony Bell 240434

v

Defendant's/Respondent's/Appellee's name  
Heidi E. Washington, et.al

**CERTIFICATE OF PRISONER INSTITUTIONAL/TRUST FUND ACCOUNT ACTIVITY**

I am employed by the Michigan Department of Corrections at the facility identified below, at which the prisoner identified as Plaintiff/Petitioner/Appellant is currently incarcerated.

Attached is a computer printout which accurately reflects the current spendable balance and all activity within this prisoner's account during the preceding six months or, if the prisoner has been incarcerated for less than six months, for the period of incarceration. Code "C" on the printout represents a withdrawal from the account and code "D" represents a deposit to the account. The attached printout reflects, for the reported period, an average monthly account deposit (i.e., total deposits divided by number of months) of \$146.65, an average monthly account balance (i.e., total deposits minus total withdrawals divided by number of months) of \$-18.44. There is a current spendable account balance of \$231.39.

Date:

01/20/2014



\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Custodian of Prisoner Institutional/Trust Fund Account

G Robert Cotton  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Correctional Facility

## Primary Trust Transactions

Date	Transaction Type	Payer / Paid To	Voucher Number	Deposit	Expense	Balance	Loc Code
01/03/2024 09:39:30 AM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$3.99)	\$321.50	JCF
01/03/2024 09:40:49 AM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$3.03)	\$318.47	JCF
01/04/2024 08:45:00 AM	Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.63)	\$317.84	JCF
01/04/2024 11:12:53 PM	Commissary Sale	Keefe Commissary	C209959		(\$50.97)	\$266.87	JCF
01/05/2024 08:23:17 AM	Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.63)	\$266.24	JCF
01/05/2024 10:33:57 AM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.63)	\$265.61	JCF
01/05/2024 02:15:00 PM	Regular Copies Disbursement	JCF PBF Copies	REG COPY JCF 010524		(\$0.40)	\$265.21	JCF
01/16/2024 02:24:52 PM	Regular Copies Disbursement	JCF PBF Copies	REG COPY JCF 011624		(\$5.70)	\$259.51	JCF
01/17/2024 08:52:44 AM	Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.63)	\$258.88	JCF
01/17/2024 01:39:08 PM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.87)	\$258.01	JCF
01/17/2024 01:39:45 PM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.87)	\$257.14	JCF
01/17/2024 01:40:19 PM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$1.11)	\$256.03	JCF
01/19/2024 09:41:32 AM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.87)	\$255.16	JCF
01/19/2024 01:20:56 PM	Regular Copies Disbursement	JCF PBF Copies	REG COPY JCF 011824		(\$6.50)	\$248.66	JCF
01/19/2024 11:22:37 PM	Commissary Sale	Keefe Commissary	C229836		(\$17.27)	\$231.39	JCF
01/22/2024				\$879.91	(\$990.55)	\$231.39	

## Savings

Date	Deposit	Expense	Balance	Loc Code
07/22/2023			\$0.00	
No Activity				
01/22/2024	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	

## Holds - Current as of Date and Time of Report

Date Held	Hold Type	Notes	Amount
No Activity			

## Remaining Obligations - Current as of Date and Time of Report

Description	Paid To	Max Per Period	Ordered	Transfer	Outside Source	Held	Paid	Written Off	Total Remaining
No Remaining Obligations									
Total:									\$0.00



## Primary Trust Transactions

Date	Transaction Type	Payer / Paid To	Voucher Number	Deposit	Expense	Balance	Loc Code
09/19/2023 08:11:37 AM	Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.63)	\$351.90	JCF
09/21/2023 08:25:17 AM	Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.63)	\$351.27	JCF
09/26/2023 12:17:17 PM	Phone Credits	ViaPath Technologies			(\$20.00)	\$331.27	JCF
09/26/2023 03:14:27 PM	Regular Copies Disbursement	JCF PBF Copies	REG CPY JCF 092623		(\$7.50)	\$323.77	JCF
09/28/2023 08:46:08 AM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.63)	\$323.14	JCF
09/28/2023 11:16:58 PM	Commissary Sale	Keefe Commissary	C66724		(\$62.79)	\$260.35	JCF
09/29/2023 05:10:10 AM	GTL	Brenda Bell		\$100.00		\$360.35	COF
10/03/2023 02:00:41 PM	Regular Copies Disbursement	JCF PBF Copies	reg cpy JCF 100323		(\$38.70)	\$321.65	JCF
10/04/2023 05:10:12 AM	GTL	Brenda Bell		\$300.00		\$621.65	COF
10/04/2023 10:27:25 AM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$3.03)	\$618.62	JCF
10/05/2023 08:31:32 AM	Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$2.55)	\$616.07	JCF
10/06/2023 02:17:01 PM	Regular Copies Disbursement	JCF PBF Copies	reg cpy JCF 100623		(\$7.90)	\$608.17	JCF
10/09/2023 08:34:14 AM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$1.83)	\$606.34	JCF
10/10/2023 02:30:19 PM	Regular Copies Disbursement	JCF PBF Copies	reg cpy JCF 101023		(\$7.70)	\$598.64	JCF
10/12/2023 09:26:56 AM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.24)	\$598.40	JCF
10/12/2023 09:27:30 AM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.48)	\$597.92	JCF
10/13/2023 11:06:39 PM	Commissary Sale	Keefe Commissary	C85722		(\$44.66)	\$553.26	JCF
10/16/2023 07:22:19 AM	Notary Disbursement	JCF Institutional Services	NOTARY JCF 100423		(\$1.00)	\$552.26	JCF
10/16/2023 09:11:28 AM	Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.63)	\$551.63	JCF
10/16/2023 10:48:11 AM	Regular Copies Disbursement	JCF PBF Copies	reg cpy JCF 101623		(\$6.30)	\$545.33	JCF
10/16/2023 07:40:10 PM	Kiosk Request	JPay Inc.			(\$20.00)	\$525.33	COF
10/17/2023 08:55:40 AM	Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$2.55)	\$522.78	JCF
10/20/2023 02:16:28 PM	Regular Copies Disbursement	JCF PBF Copies	REG COPY JCF 102023		(\$2.40)	\$520.38	JCF
10/20/2023 02:16:55 PM	Regular Copies Disbursement	JCF PBF Copies	REG COPY JCF 102023		(\$2.40)	\$517.98	JCF
10/23/2023 08:23:43 AM	Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$3.51)	\$514.47	JCF
10/25/2023 09:06:22 AM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$9.00)	\$505.47	JCF
10/26/2023 11:13:59 PM	Commissary Sale	Keefe Commissary	C107370		(\$22.66)	\$482.81	JCF
10/30/2023 01:52:54 PM	Regular Copies Disbursement	JCF PBF Copies	JCF Regular Copies		(\$3.90)	\$478.91	JCF
10/31/2023 05:10:11 AM	GTL	Brenda Bell		\$100.00		\$578.91	COF
11/01/2023 09:01:06 AM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$1.83)	\$577.08	JCF
11/07/2023 03:17:58 PM	Regular Copies Disbursement	JCF PBF Copies	REG COPY JCF 110723		(\$3.60)	\$573.48	JCF
11/09/2023 11:11:17 PM	Commissary Sale	Keefe Commissary	C126935		(\$47.12)	\$526.36	JCF
11/14/2023 11:38:32 AM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.63)	\$525.73	JCF
11/14/2023 11:39:11 AM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.87)	\$524.86	JCF
11/14/2023 11:39:48 AM	Legal Stamps	JCF Institutional Services			(\$0.63)	\$524.23	JCF
11/17/2023 09:35:22 AM	JL Marcus Disbursement	Jack L Marcus	HEADPHONES		(\$29.91)	\$494.32	JCF