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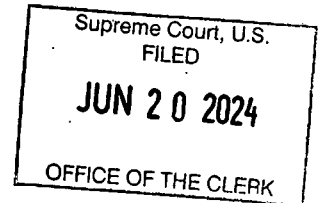
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IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

RALPH LOREN BARENZ II — PETITIONER
(Your Name)

VS.

STATE OF ALASKA — 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):

Alaska Supreme Court, Case No. S-17487, S-18957; United States
Supreme Court, Case No. 19-9948


☐ 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.


(Signature)

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

I, Ralph L. Barenz II, 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>83.00</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>108.00</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Self-employment	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Income from real property (such as rental income)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Interest and dividends	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Gifts	\$ <u>100.00</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Alimony	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Child Support	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Retirement (such as social security, pensions, annuities, insurance)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Disability (such as social security, insurance payments)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Unemployment payments	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Public-assistance (such as welfare)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Other (specify): <u>NONE</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Total monthly income:	\$ <u>994.00</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>108.00</u>	\$ <u>N/A</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
Alaska Department of Corrections	Goose Creek Correctional Center, 22301 W. Alsop Rd, Wasilla AK 99623		\$ _____
			\$ _____
			\$ _____

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			\$ _____
			\$ _____
			\$ _____

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 institution.

Type of account (e.g., checking or savings)	Amount you have	Amount your spouse has
Prison Checking Account	\$ 38.54	\$ _____
Prison Savings Account	\$ 100.60	\$ _____
	\$ _____	\$ _____

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

☐ Home
Value _____

☐ Other real estate
Value _____

☐ Motor Vehicle #1
Year, make & model _____
Value _____

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

☐ 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
NONE _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____

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
NONE _____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

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)	\$ N/A _____	\$ 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)	\$ 17.00 _____	\$ N/A _____
Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)	\$ N/A _____	\$ N/A _____
Food	\$ N/A _____	\$ N/A _____
Clothing	\$ 5.00 _____	\$ N/A _____
Laundry and dry-cleaning	\$ N/A _____	\$ N/A _____
Medical and dental expenses	\$ 1.00 _____	\$ N/A _____

	You	Your spouse
Transportation (not including motor vehicle payments)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Recreation, entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc.	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
Homeowner's or renter's	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Life	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Health	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Motor Vehicle	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Other: <u>NONE</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
(specify): <u>NONE</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Installment payments		
Motor Vehicle	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Credit card(s)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Department store(s)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Other: <u>NONE</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Regular expenses for operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Other (specify): <u>NONE</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Total monthly expenses:	\$ <u>23.00</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>

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.

As this court can see I am low income. Other than the expenses listed in the above stated areas, I also pay all of my own legal fees, such as, copys, mailing expenses, envelopes and the such. Furthermore I pay for my hygiene, shampoo, tooth paste, skin care, over the counter medication like ibuprofen which costs me on minimum \$.7.00 a month, and what ever else comes up. Lastly, what ever money I have in my prison savings is used for my release and I typically do not have access to it.

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

Executed on: June 20, 2024



(Signature)

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I Ralph L. Barenz II, depose and state:


1. I am a pro se litigant in the above stated case;
2. I am low income and can not afford to pay the full cost of this writ.
3. Attached is a 12 month account history and a 6 month certified account statement.

Further your affiant sayeth naught.

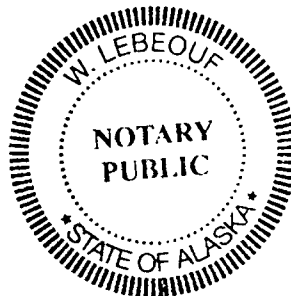


Ralph L. Barenz II
Pro se Petitioner

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me on
20 June, 2024. in Wasilla Alaska



Notary Public in and for Alaska
My commission expires: with
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State of Alaska Department of Corrections

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

GOOSE CREEK CC

Statement Date: 12/01/2023 To: 05/31/2024

ACCOUNT TRANSACTION DETAIL:

Offender No: 511778

Location GOOSE CREEK CC

Cell: J53 B

Offender Name: BARENZ II, RALPH LOREN

Account: CHECKING

Account 8.02

Trans ID	Trans Date	Transaction Description / Ref Doc	Debit	Credit	Account Balance
		Beginning Balance			62.43
3482518-41	12/04/2023	291 -PAYROLL	0.00	67.50	129.93
3482518-41	12/04/2023	291 -PAYROLL	0.00	9.00	138.93
3482837-37	12/05/2023	850 -GCCCCPRISON	-14.10	0.00	124.83
3483189-44	12/05/2023	801 -GCCCCOMMIS / 548223	-28.34	0.00	96.49
3483536-14	12/08/2023	812 -GCCCCABLE / DEC CABLE	-14.00	0.00	82.49
3483551-14	12/08/2023	804 -GCCCELECTR / DEC ELECT	-3.00	0.00	79.49
3483743-35	12/12/2023	801 -GCCCCOMMIS / 550696	-6.49	0.00	73.00
3483779-19	12/13/2023	234 -CK INMATE / TITHE	-8.00	0.00	65.00
3484368-10	12/20/2023	802 -GCCCCOPIES / GCCC COPY	-9.30	0.00	55.70
3484676-18	12/26/2023	850 -GCCCCPRISON	-6.40	0.00	49.30
3484760-41	12/27/2023	801 -GCCCCOMMIS / 553084	-3.60	0.00	45.70
3484760-42	12/27/2023	801 -GCCCCOMMIS / 553571	-17.36	0.00	28.34
3485116-28	01/02/2024	850 -GCCCCPRISON	-22.95	0.00	5.39
3485187-38	01/03/2024	801 -GCCCCOMMIS / 555833	-3.60	0.00	1.79
3485777-44	01/05/2024	291 -PAYROLL	0.00	93.00	94.79
3486307-42	01/09/2024	850 -GCCCCPRISON	-15.10	0.00	79.69
3486366-14	01/09/2024	812 -GCCCCABLE / JAN CABLE	-14.00	0.00	65.69
3486386-14	01/09/2024	804 -GCCCELECTR / JAN ELECT	-3.00	0.00	62.69
3486423-39	01/10/2024	801 -GCCCCOMMIS / 558167	-7.50	0.00	55.19
3486423-40	01/10/2024	801 -GCCCCOMMIS / 558637	-20.00	0.00	35.19
3486538-1	01/11/2024	234 -CK INMATE / TITHE	-9.00	0.00	26.19
3486736-31	01/15/2024	850 -GCCCCPRISON	-8.80	0.00	17.39
3486839-32	01/16/2024	801 -GCCCCOMMIS / 560978	-8.95	0.00	8.44
3486839-33	01/16/2024	801 -GCCCCOMMIS / 561477	-7.73	0.00	0.71
3488711-40	02/05/2024	291 -PAYROLL	0.00	93.00	93.71
3489059-35	02/06/2024	850 -GCCCCPRISON	-21.00	0.00	72.71
3489304-17	02/08/2024	234 -CK INMATE / GIFT	-9.50	0.00	63.21
3489445-14	02/09/2024	812 -GCCCCABLE / FEB CABLE	-14.00	0.00	49.21
3489446-14	02/09/2024	804 -GCCCELECTR / FEB ELECT	-3.00	0.00	46.21
3489677-22	02/13/2024	801 -GCCCCOMMIS / 570897	-5.80	0.00	40.41
3489677-23	02/13/2024	801 -GCCCCOMMIS / 571273	-9.22	0.00	31.19
3490057-29	02/20/2024	801 -GCCCCOMMIS / 573352	-8.45	0.00	22.74
3490628-30	02/27/2024	801 -GCCCCOMMIS / 575979	-6.23	0.00	16.51

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3490737-3	02/29/2024	50	-MEDICALCO- / 430830-50	-5.00	0.00	11.51
3491173-39	03/04/2024	291	-PAYROLL	0.00	87.00	98.51
3491512-33	03/04/2024	850	-GCCCCPRISON	-10.50	0.00	88.01
3492078-14	03/07/2024	812	-GCCCCABLE / MARCHCABLE	-14.00	0.00	74.01
3492092-14	03/07/2024	804	-GCCCELECTR / MARCHELECT	-3.00	0.00	71.01
3492417-35	03/11/2024	850	-GCCCCPRISON	-2.45	0.00	68.56
3492492-24	03/12/2024	801	-GCCCCCOMMIS / 580135	-13.65	0.00	54.91
3492492-25	03/12/2024	801	-GCCCCCOMMIS / 580519	-6.08	0.00	48.83
3492569-27	03/13/2024	802	-GCCCCCOPIES / GCCC COPY	-0.60	0.00	48.23
3492643-9	03/14/2024	234	-CK INMATE / GIFT	-9.50	0.00	38.73
3492935-26	03/18/2024	850	-GCCCCPRISON	-12.05	0.00	26.68
3492954-2	03/19/2024	184	-CHECK-SAVE / RFI - APPR	-5.00	0.00	21.68
3492995-19	03/19/2024	801	-GCCCCCOMMIS / 582674	-3.60	0.00	18.08
3493438-15	03/26/2024	801	-GCCCCCOMMIS / 584947	-3.60	0.00	14.48
3493438-16	03/26/2024	801	-GCCCCCOMMIS / 585306	-7.78	0.00	6.70
3493588-7	03/28/2024	802	-GCCCCCOPIES / GCCC COPY	-0.15	0.00	6.55
3493588-17	03/28/2024	802	-GCCCCCOPIES / GCCC COPY	-3.00	0.00	3.55
3494596-41	04/05/2024	291	-PAYROLL	0.00	93.00	96.55
3495025-28	04/05/2024	234	-CK INMATE / GIFT	-9.50	0.00	87.05
3495090-14	04/06/2024	812	-GCCCCABLE / APRILCABLE	-14.00	0.00	73.05
3495100-14	04/06/2024	804	-GCCCELECTR / APRILELECT	-3.00	0.00	70.05
3495188-34	04/08/2024	850	-GCCCCPRISON	-20.15	0.00	49.90
3495404-7	04/10/2024	234	-CK INMATE / ACCESS	-7.96	0.00	41.94
3495407-21	04/10/2024	801	-GCCCCCOMMIS / 589254	-4.60	0.00	37.34
3495407-22	04/10/2024	801	-GCCCCCOMMIS / 589645	-4.74	0.00	32.60
3495852-25	04/16/2024	801	-GCCCCCOMMIS / 591675	-12.45	0.00	20.15
3495852-26	04/16/2024	801	-GCCCCCOMMIS / 592055	-6.80	0.00	13.35
3496332-24	04/23/2024	801	-GCCCCCOMMIS / 594186	-3.60	0.00	9.75
3496590-2	04/26/2024	802	-GCCCCCOPIES / GCCC COPY	-6.90	0.00	2.85
3497485-37	05/03/2024	291	-PAYROLL	0.00	10.50	13.35
3497485-37	05/03/2024	291	-PAYROLL	0.00	81.00	94.35
3498068-37	05/07/2024	850	-GCCCCPRISON	-16.50	0.00	77.85
3498110-26	05/07/2024	801	-GCCCCCOMMIS / 598904	-1.90	0.00	75.95
3498287-10	05/09/2024	234	-CK INMATE / GIFT	-10.00	0.00	65.95
3498392-15	05/10/2024	812	-GCCCCABLE / MAY CABLE	-14.00	0.00	51.95
3498405-15	05/10/2024	804	-GCCCELECTR / MAY ELECT	-3.00	0.00	48.95
3498570-35	05/13/2024	850	-GCCCCPRISON	-1.05	0.00	47.90
3498627-25	05/14/2024	801	-GCCCCCOMMIS / 601001	-7.20	0.00	40.70

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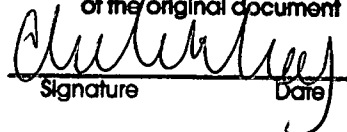
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3499194-24	05/21/2024	801 -GCCCCOMMIS / 603439	-6.65	0.00	14.61
3499194-25	05/21/2024	801 -GCCCCOMMIS / 603842	-6.59	0.00	8.02
		Ending Balance			8.02

Account: SAVING

Account 100.60

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		Begining Balance			95.60
3492954-1	03/19/2024	184 -CHECK-SAVE / RFI - APPR	0.00	5.00	100.60
		Ending Balance			100.60

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