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IN THE

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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Dennis German — PETITIONER  
(Your Name)

VS.

United States of America — 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):

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: 18 U.S.C.  
§ 3006A, or

a copy of the order of appointment is appended.

Dennis German  
(Signature)

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

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

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

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
X	X	X	\$ 0
			\$
			\$

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
NONE	\$ 0	\$ 0
	\$	\$
	\$	\$

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

Home  
 Value 0

Other real estate  
 Value 0

Motor Vehicle #1  
 Year, make & model 0  
 Value 0

Motor Vehicle #2  
 Year, make & model 0  
 Value 0

Other assets  
 Description NONE  
 Value 0

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>      </u>	\$ <u>      </u>	\$ <u>      </u>
<u>      </u>	\$ <u>      </u>	\$ <u>      </u>
<u>      </u>	\$ <u>      </u>	\$ <u>      </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>      </u>	<u>      </u>	<u>      </u>
<u>      </u>	<u>      </u>	<u>      </u>
<u>      </u>	<u>      </u>	<u>      </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>      </u>	\$ <u>      </u>
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)	\$ <u>      </u>	\$ <u>      </u>
Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)	\$ <u>      </u>	\$ <u>      </u>
Food	\$ <u>      </u>	\$ <u>      </u>
Clothing	\$ <u>      </u>	\$ <u>      </u>
Laundry and dry-cleaning	\$ <u>      </u>	\$ <u>      </u>
Medical and dental expenses	\$ <u>      </u>	\$ <u>      </u>

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

INCARCERATED, UNEMPLOYED.

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

Executed on: June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Dennis Green  
(Signature)

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
PLAINTIFF

VS.

DENNIS GERMAN  
DEFENDANT

MOTION AND DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO PROCEED  
IN FORMA PAUPERIS

I, DENNIS GERMAN, am the plaintiff in the above entitled case. In support of my motion for leave to proceed in forma pauperis, I state that because of my poverty I am unable to pay the initial costs of said proceeding or to give security therefore and that I believe I am entitled to redress. In support of this motion, I declare the following responses are true.

1. If you are receiving prison wages, state the amount: (0) Unemployed
2. If you received within the past twelve months any money from any source, explain, and state  
The amount:  
See printout Trust Fund Account -
3. State the amount of money you have in a checking, savings, or prison account:  
\$100.00
4. Identify and state the value of any real estate, stocks, bonds, notes, automobiles, or other  
Valuable property (excluding ordinary household furnishings and clothing) which you own:  
00
5. List the persons who are dependent upon you for support; state relationship to those persons  
And indicate how much you contribute toward their support:  
N/A

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

SIGNED THIS 21<sup>st</sup> DAY OF MAY, 2024.

Dennis German  
Plaintiff's signature

# TO BE COMPLETED BY RECORDS OFFICER OF PRISON

1. The plaintiff presently has the sum of \$0.00 on account at \_\_\_\_\_.  
FCI Berlin  
(Name of prison)

Attached is a copy of the plaintiff's institutional account indicating deposits and withdrawals during the preceding one year period or 9 months  
(Indicate period covered by Account)

I cannot furnish the court with a copy of the plaintiff's institutional account indicating income and withdrawals because \_\_\_\_\_

2. The plaintiff has the following securities and other assets: (include any information you have regarding outside accounts, sources of income):  
N/A

3. Other information relevant to plaintiff's financial status or information that plaintiff's statements contained in his motion and declaration in support of motion to proceed in forma pauperis are not true:  
N/A

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Signed this 28<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2024.

W. Knight/10.7, Cox Manager  
Signature and Title of Records Officer of Prison

## ORDER

Motion for leave to proceed in forma pauperis is N/A.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

United States Magistrate Judge

# All Transactions



Inmate Reg #: 55060424  
 Inmate Name: GERMAN, DENNIS  
 Report Date: 06/23/2024  
 Report Time: 9:12:26 AM

<u>Date/Time</u>	<u>Transaction Type</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Ref#</u>	<u>Payment#</u>	<u>Balance</u>
6/8/2024 10:37:00 AM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$10.00)	TL0608		\$0.00
6/8/2024 10:36:19 AM	TRUL Withdrawal	\$1.40	TL0608		\$10.00
6/7/2024 8:15:22 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$15.00)	TL0607		\$8.60
6/6/2024 6:19:03 AM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0606		\$23.60
6/5/2024 11:40:52 AM	<u>Sales - Fingerprint</u>	(\$36.40)	25		\$53.60
6/1/2024 8:27:47 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0601		\$90.00
5/31/2024 7:45:57 AM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0531		\$120.00
5/31/2024 7:09:13 AM	Western Union	\$150.00	33324152		\$150.00
5/26/2024 8:02:35 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$2.00)	TL0526		\$0.00
5/26/2024 8:02:09 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	\$1.20	TL0526		\$2.00
5/24/2024 8:25:43 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$10.00)	TL0524		\$0.80
5/24/2024 8:25:12 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$15.00)	TL0524		\$10.80
5/22/2024 9:05:36 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0522		\$25.80
5/22/2024 11:30:55 AM	<u>Sales - Fingerprint</u>	(\$64.20)	32		\$55.80
5/18/2024 7:38:18 AM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0518		\$120.00
5/18/2024 7:08:14 AM	Western Union	\$150.00	33324139		\$150.00
5/15/2024 2:56:57 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$2.00)	TL0515		\$0.00
5/15/2024 2:56:22 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	\$0.25	TL0515		\$2.00
5/11/2024 4:49:39 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$15.00)	TL0511		\$1.75
5/7/2024 7:50:31 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0507		\$16.75
5/2/2024 11:18:57 AM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0502		\$46.75
5/1/2024 11:38:58 AM	<u>Sales - Fingerprint</u>	(\$23.25)	58		\$76.75
4/25/2024 8:16:45 AM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$2.00)	TL0425		\$100.00
4/25/2024 8:16:19 AM	TRUL Withdrawal	\$1.05	TL0425		\$102.00
4/25/2024 8:15:03 AM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$2.00)	TL0425		\$100.95
4/25/2024 8:14:39 AM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$2.00)	TL0425		\$102.95
4/25/2024 8:14:17 AM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$5.00)	TL0425		\$104.95
4/23/2024 10:21:11 AM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$15.00)	TL0423		\$109.95
4/18/2024 5:54:56 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0418		\$124.95
4/13/2024 7:27:01 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0413		\$154.95
4/3/2024 9:00:28 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0403		\$184.95
3/28/2024 9:27:01 AM	<u>Sales - Fingerprint</u>	(\$3.75)	20		\$214.95
3/21/2024 9:42:45 AM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0321		\$218.70
3/13/2024 11:04:03 AM	<u>Sales - Fingerprint</u>	(\$21.10)	34		\$248.70
3/11/2024 11:12:39 AM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0311		\$269.80
2/22/2024 11:04:52 AM	<u>Sales - Fingerprint</u>	(\$3.50)	117		\$299.80
2/20/2024 8:17:00 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0220		\$303.30
2/9/2024 3:11:57 PM	Payroll - IPP	\$18.70	ZIPP0124		\$333.30
2/8/2024 8:17:36 AM	<u>Sales - No FP (Non-FP Session)</u>	(\$9.20)	15		\$314.60
2/1/2024 7:54:34 AM	<u>Sales - No FP (Non-FP Session)</u>	(\$22.10)	31		\$323.80
1/21/2024 11:44:47 AM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0121		\$345.90
1/18/2024 7:09:39 AM	Western Union	\$300.00	33324018		\$375.90
1/14/2024 2:15:50 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0114		\$75.90
1/10/2024 2:54:27 PM	FRP Monthly Pymt	(\$150.00)	ZFRP0124		\$105.90
1/10/2024 2:54:05 PM	Payroll - IPP	\$18.70	ZIPP1223		\$255.90
1/10/2024 11:31:56 AM	<u>Sales - Fingerprint</u>	(\$82.00)	24		\$237.20
1/4/2024 11:09:35 AM	<u>Sales - Fingerprint</u>	(\$121.95)	54		\$319.20
1/2/2024 8:25:02 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL0102		\$441.15
1/2/2024 1:07:22 PM	Western Union	\$300.00	33324002		\$471.15
12/20/2023 8:35:16 PM	TRUL Withdrawal	(\$30.00)	TL1220		\$171.15