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In the Supreme Court of the United States

GRAHAM L. STOWE, *PETITIONER*,

v.

GREGORY VAN RYBROEK, *RESPONDENT*.

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

Petitioner, Graham Stowe, by attorney Colleen Marion, respectfully moves the court to enter an order permitting him to proceed *in forma pauperis*. As grounds for, and in support of his motion, petitioner states as follows:

1. Mr. Stowe was found indigent by the Wisconsin State Public Defender, and proceeded with public defender appointed counsel in state appellate court proceedings.¹
2. In addition, the Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals granted Mr. Stowe leave to proceed in forma pauperis.

¹ The Office of the Wisconsin State Public Defender is responsible for appointing counsel for indigent criminal defendants in the Wisconsin state courts. Wis. Stat. §§ 977.06, 977.07.

3. Pursuant to United States Supreme Court Rule 39.1, Mr. Stowe has attached the Order Appointing Counsel reflecting that he was appointed counsel for the habeas corpus proceedings in this case, in lieu of a declaration or affidavit.

WHEREFORE, for all the reasons herein, petitioner respectfully requests that he be permitted to proceed *in forma pauperis* in this action.

Dated this 19th day of November, 2024.

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Attachment: Order Appointing Counsel

ORDER APPOINTING COUNSEL

Client's Full Name:	Graham L Stowe	Client ID:	MAP1265899
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		File No:	18S-05-L-F04952
		Case Group #:	2037842
		Date of Birth:	3/20/1983
		DOC #:	

Statutes:

Nature of Case: 971.17(4) Commitment NGI - Petition for conditional release 1 Cnts:

County and Court:	Brown Branch 4	Case No:
Other Information:	Judge: Kelley, Kendall M.	04-CF-124
	Record Created: December 3, 2018	
	Judgment Entered: June 30, 2016	
	Type: Re-Opening: Federal District Court	

IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 977 OF THE WISCONSIN STATUTES, I HEREBY APPOINT THE FOLLOWING ATTORNEY TO REPRESENT THE ABOVE NAMED INDIVIDUAL IN RELATION TO THE ABOVE ENTITLED PROCEEDINGS.

Attorney's Name:	Colleen Marion	Local Counsel
Address:	PO Box 7862 Madison, WI 53707 7862	SPD Office Handling: Madison
		Appointed By: Kelsey Loshaw
State Bar No:	1089028	Case Opened, Court Record & Transcripts Ordered:
Phone Number:	(608) 267-5176	November 19, 2024

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