

No. 24-6088

ORIGINAL

IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

Carl N. Merkle — PETITIONER
(Your Name)

VS.

Johnny W. Thomas, Chapter 7 US Trustee, 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 except filing fee 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: _____, or

☐ a copy of the order of appointment is appended.

Carl N. Merkle
Carl N. Merkle (Signature)

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

I, Carl N. Merkle, 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, caused by USA's thefts and embezzlements, I am unable to pay the costs of this case beyond the filing fee, or to give security therefor; and I believe I am entitled to redress. And should be allowed to file on 8 1/2 x 11 paper, fewer copies.

1. For you, alone via BK estate, 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	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Self-employment	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Income from real property (such as rental income)	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Interest and dividends	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Gifts	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Alimony	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Child Support	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Retirement (such as social security, pensions, annuities, insurance)	\$ <u>\$2,745</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Disability (such as social security, insurance payments)	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Unemployment payments	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Public-assistance (such as welfare)	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Other (specify): _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Total monthly income:	\$ <u>\$2,745</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
none - USA kidapped me and caused unnecessary litigation			\$ none
Have been in full time litigation since 10/17 defending against			\$
completely baseless, vexatious and frivolous litigation.			\$

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
This will not be disclosed. Irrelevant to USA crimes against me.			\$
			\$
			\$

4. How much cash do you ~~and your spouse~~ have? \$ less than \$3,350
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	\$ less than \$3,350	\$ will not disclose
	\$	\$
	\$	\$

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

<input type="checkbox"/> Home	<input type="checkbox"/> Other real estate
I rent now - zero	
Value _____	Value _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle #1	<input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle #2
I drive borrowed car	
Year, make & model _____	Year, make & model none
Value _____	Value _____

☒ Other assets Small dollar IRA accounts, and GP interests. Otherwise, none, other than very

Description valuable litigation rights USA tried to destroy. Liquid sources under \$1,000. Value of

Value litigation is unknown. Is possibly worth over \$100 million or much much more. Very

valuable contingent asset owned because of crimes committed by employees of big law

firms and big organizations in collusion with each other, either knowingly or unknowingly

due to poor internal controls. Merkle's covenant with God caps Merkle's personal recovery

at \$10 million with all the rest going to "God's work".

6. State every person, business, or organization owing you or your spouse money, and the amount owed.

Person owing you

Amount owed to you

amount stolen times some

USA, and others in the
Gang of 7 and Gang of
30 disclosed in Petition
and others - too many
to list.

\$factor due to deception

\$

\$

\$

\$

\$

7. State the persons who rely on you for support. For minor children, list initials instead of names (e.g. "J.S." instead of "John Smith").

Name

Relationship

Age

Olena Ilchenko

Spouse

64

8. Estimate the average monthly expenses of you ~~and your family~~ Adjust any payments that are made weekly, biweekly, quarterly, or annually to show the monthly rate.

You

Rent ~~or home mortgage payment~~
(include lot rented for mobile home)

\$ 1,350

Are real estate taxes included? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Is property insurance included? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Utilities (electricity, heating fuel,
water, sewer, and telephone)

\$ 225

Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)

\$ 25

Food

\$ 450

Clothing

\$ 20

Laundry and dry-cleaning

\$ 25

Medical and dental expenses

\$ 50

You

Transportation (not including motor vehicle payments) \$ \$100

Recreation, entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc. \$ \$25

Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)

Homeowner's or renter's \$ _____

Life \$ _____

Health \$ _____

Motor Vehicle \$ \$75

Other: _____ \$ _____

Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)

(specify): _____ \$ _____

Installment payments

Motor Vehicle \$ _____

Credit card(s) \$ \$125

Department store(s) \$ _____

Other: _____ \$ _____

Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others \$ _____

Regular expenses for operation of business, profession,
or farm (attach detailed statement) \$ _____

Other (specify): Tithe \$ \$235

Total monthly expenses: \$ \$2,745

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~~.

I'm expecting this next stage of Article III of US Constitution litigation to start producing settlements. Cash settlements for the \$1.5 million stolen from me by Gang of 7 and Gang of 30 members. Most of Gang of 30 are USA employees.

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.

The USA, via Gang of 7 and Gang of 30 members like Johnny Thomas stole everything of earthly value from me, aiding and abetting statutory criminal street gangs of attorneys where Judge Gargotta, the bankruptcy judge was an enforcer for organized crime - attorneys running unlawful debt collection and barratry scams. Thomas engaged in organized crime. USTP (DOJ) damaged credit via false reporting to credit bureaus. See next page.

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

Executed on: _____ November 26, _____, 2024



Carl N. Merkle (Signature)