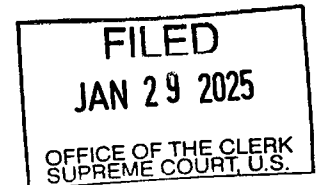


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ORIGINAL

No. _____

IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES



Noah Duncan — PETITIONER
(Your Name)

VS.
The Board of Curators for the
University of Missouri, 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):

The 13th Circuit Court of Missouri, the Eighth Circuit Court of the United States

☐ 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:

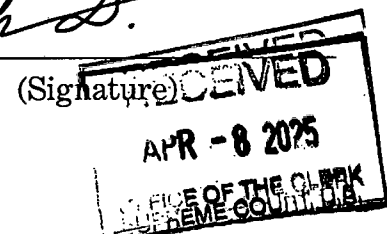
☐ The appointment was made under the following provision of law: _____

_____, or

☐ a copy of the order of appointment is appended.

Noah D.

(Signature)



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

I, Noah Duncan, 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>1,700</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>1,700</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>
Self-employment	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____
Income from real property (such as rental income)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Interest and dividends	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____
Gifts	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____
Alimony	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____
Child Support	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____
Retirement (such as social security, pensions, annuities, insurance)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____
Disability (such as social security, insurance payments)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____
Unemployment payments	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____
Public-assistance (such as welfare)	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ _____
Other (specify): _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Total monthly income:	\$ <u>1,700</u>	\$ <u>N/A</u>	\$ <u>1,700</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
Faber and Brand, LLC	6750 New Town Ave, Columbia, MO 65203	December 2024 to Present	\$ 1,700
Stange Law Firm, P.C.	1506 Chapel Hill Rd, Suite H Columbia, MO 6520	July 2024 to December 2024	\$ 1,500
Pickleman's Gornett Cafe	2513 Old US Hwy 63 S, Columbia, MO 65201	February 2024 to July 2024	\$ 1,200

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	N/A	N/A	\$ N/A
I AM NOT MARRIED	I AM NOT MARRIED	I AM NOT MARRIED	\$ I AM NOT MARRIED
			\$

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
Checking	\$ 398.44	\$ N/A
Savings	\$ 49.79	\$ N/A
	\$	\$

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

<input type="checkbox"/> Home Value <u>N/A</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Other real estate Value <u>N/A</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle #1 Year, make & model _____ Value <u>N/A</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle #2 Year, make & model _____ Value <u>N/A</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Other assets Description _____ Value <u>N/A</u>	I DO NOT OWN ANY ASSETS BEYOND COMMON HOUSE HOLD FURNISHINGS

- | | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Person owing you or your spouse money | Amount owed to you | Amount owed to your spouse |
| <u>N/A</u> | \$ <u>N/A</u> | \$ <u>N/A</u> |
| <u>NO ONE OWES ME MONEY</u> | <u>\$ NO ONE OWES ME MONEY</u> | <u>\$ NO ONE OWES ME MONEY</u> |
| <u> </u> | \$ <u> </u> | \$ <u> </u> |

- | Name | Relationship | Age |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| N/A | N/A | N/A |
| I HAVE NO DEPENDENTS | I HAVE NO DEPENDENTS | I HAVE NO DEPENDENTS |

- | | You | Your spouse |
|--|--------|-------------|
| Rent or home-mortgage payment
(include lot rented for mobile home) | \$ 650 | \$ 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) | \$ 100 | \$ |
| Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep) | \$ N/A | \$ |
| Food | \$ 300 | \$ |
| Clothing | \$ 100 | \$ |
| Laundry and dry-cleaning | \$ 50 | \$ |
| Medical and dental expenses | \$ 100 | \$ |

	You	Your spouse
Transportation (not including motor vehicle payments)	\$ 100	\$ N/A
Recreation, entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc.	\$ 100	\$
Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
Homeowner's or renter's	\$ N/A	\$
Life	\$ N/A	\$
Health	\$ N/A	\$
Motor Vehicle	\$ N/A	\$
Other: _____	\$	\$
Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
(specify): _____	\$ N/A	\$
Installment payments		
Motor Vehicle	\$ N/A	\$
Credit card(s)	\$ N/A	\$
Department store(s)	\$ N/A	\$
Other: _____	\$	\$
Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others	\$ N/A	\$
Regular expenses for operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement)	\$ N/A	\$
Other (specify): _____	\$	\$
Total monthly expenses:	\$ 1,500	\$

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 was unable to obtain a degree because of the case before the court and I cannot obtain a job with a higher level of income needed to pay fees in this case. My family is struggling financially as well and are unable to help with such costs. I do not have access to \$300 to help pay the fee associated with filing my case with this court.

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

Executed on: March 31st, 2025



(Signature)