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IN THE

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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In Re Derrick D. Fields — PETITIONER  
(Your Name)

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

The petitioner asks leave to file the attached petition for a writ of habeas corpus 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.

Derrick D. Fields

(Signature)

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

I, Derrick Fields, 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>	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Self-employment	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Income from real property (such as rental income)	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Interest and dividends	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Gifts	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Alimony	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Child Support	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Retirement (such as social security, pensions, annuities, insurance)	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Disability (such as social security, insurance payments)	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Unemployment payments	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Public-assistance (such as welfare)	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
Other (specify): _____	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>
<b>Total monthly income:</b>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</u>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>X</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
<del>NONE</del>			\$
			\$
			\$

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
<del>X</del>			\$
			\$
			\$

4. How much cash do you and your spouse have? \$ ~~X~~  
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
<del>X</del>	\$ <del>X</del>	\$ <del>X</del>
	\$	\$
	\$	\$

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

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Home Value <del>X</del>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other real estate Value <del>X</del>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle #1 Year, make & model <del>X</del> Value <del>X</del>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle #2 Year, make & model <del>X</del> Value <del>X</del>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other assets Description <del>X</del> Value <del>X</del>	

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

**Person owing you or your spouse money**

NONE

**Amount owed to you**

\$ X  
\$ X  
\$ X

**Amount owed to your spouse**

\$ X  
\$ X  
\$ X

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**

X  
X  
X

**Relationship**

X  
X  
X

**Age**

X  
X  
X

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)

\$ X

\$ X

Are real estate taxes included? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Is property insurance included? ☐ Yes ☐ No

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

\$ X

\$ X

Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)

\$ X

\$ X

Food

\$ X

\$ X

Clothing

\$ X

\$ X

Laundry and dry-cleaning

\$ X

\$ X

Medical and dental expenses

\$ X

\$ X