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SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

Michael LaRusso — PETITIONER  
(Your Name)

VS.

Secretary, Florida Dept — RESPONDENT(S)  
of Corrections

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: \_\_\_\_\_, or

☐ a copy of the order of appointment is appended.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

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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
<u>Ø</u>	<u>Ø</u>	<u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>
<u>Ø</u>	<u>Ø</u>	<u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>
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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
<u>Ø</u>	<u>Ø</u>	<u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>
<u>Ø</u>	<u>Ø</u>	<u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>
<u>Ø</u>	<u>Ø</u>	<u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>

4. How much cash do you and your spouse have? \$ Ø  
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
<u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>
<u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>
<u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>	\$ <u>Ø</u>

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

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

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? 0

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.

Since, I have been Unconstitutioned and Illegaly in The Florida Department of Corrections and now in The Pinellas County Jail almost four years.

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

Executed on: March 13<sup>th</sup>, 2025

  
(Signature)