

No. 25-6872

IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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MIN TANG — PETITIONER  
(Your Name)

VS.

ROBERT F. KENNEDY, JR. — 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):  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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.

*Min Tang*  
(Signature)

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

I, MIN TANG, 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>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Self-employment	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Income from real property (such as rental income)	\$ <u>900.</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Interest and dividends	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Gifts	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Alimony	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Child Support	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Retirement (such as social security, pensions, annuities, insurance)	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Disability (such as social security, insurance payments)	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Unemployment payments	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Public-assistance (such as welfare)	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Other (specify): _____	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
<b>Total monthly income:</b>	\$ <u>900</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
NA	NA	NA	\$ NA
			\$ -
			\$ -

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
NA	NA	NA	\$ NA
			\$ -
			\$ -

4. How much cash do you and your spouse have? \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 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 + saving	\$ 700.00	\$ NA
money market	\$ 68,205.00	\$ NA
US T-bill	\$ 20,000.00	\$ NA

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

- Home Value 550,600.00
- D Other real estate Value NA
- D Motor Vehicle #1 Year, make & model 2015 TOYOTA RAV4 Value 8,000.00
- D Motor Vehicle #2 Year, make & model NA Value -

Other assets  
 Description 410K \$221,770.00; Roth \$89,566.00; Individual \$66,200.00  
 Value \$377,536.00

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

Person owing you or your spouse money	Amount owed to you	Amount owed to your spouse
<u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____

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	Relationship	Age
<u>NA</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>NA</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

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)	\$ <u>2,340.00</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Are real estate taxes included? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
Is property insurance included? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
Utilities (electricity, heating fuel, water, sewer, and telephone)	\$ <u>450.00</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)	\$ <u>600.00</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Food	\$ <u>Food Stamp</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Clothing	\$ <u>100</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Laundry and dry-cleaning	\$ <u>100</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Medical and dental expenses	\$ <u>100</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>

	You	Your spouse
Transportation (not including motor vehicle payments)	\$ <u>150.</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Recreation, entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc.	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
Homeowner's or renter's	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Life	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Health	\$ <u>400</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Motor Vehicle	\$ <u>120</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Other: _____	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)		
(specify): _____	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Installment payments		
Motor Vehicle	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Credit card(s)	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Department store(s)	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Other: _____	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Regular expenses for operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement)	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
Other (specify): _____	\$ <u>NA</u>	\$ <u>NA</u>
<b>Total monthly expenses:</b>	\$ <u>4360.00</u>	\$ <u>NA</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.

Income: I may receive a small amount of Social Security benefits if my pending application is approved. The amount and timing are uncertain.

Expenses: I anticipate significant home repair expenses, including necessary kitchen and bathroom repairs, estimated cost at approximately \$25,000-\$30,000.

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? Approximately \$100,000 or more has been paid to attorneys in connection with the three EEO cases in this petition. Attorney's fee related to the district court and Fourth Circuit appeals have not yet billed.

If yes, state the attorney's name, address, and telephone number:

KCNF, P.C., 818 Connecticut Ave. NW #1000, Washington, DC 20006, (202) 313-9260

Alden Law Group, 1850 M Street NW, Suite 901, Washington, DC 20036, (202) 463-0300

Swick & Shapiro, P.C. 1101 15th Street NW #205, Washington, DC 20005, (202) 482-0300

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? \_\_\_\_\_

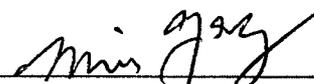
If yes, state the person's name, address, and telephone number:

12. Provide any other information that will help explain why you cannot pay the costs of this case.

Since my employment was illegally terminated in January 2020, I have had no earned income and have relied entirely on savings that are now nearly depleted. Although I reported a bank balance, those funds are substantially offset by approximately debts of \$10,000 (01/2026 house's fascia & soffit repair and gutter replacement), \$6,093 (10/2024 roof-replacement has to pay off before March 16, 2026 to avoid a 22% interest charge), a monthly mortgage of approximately \$2,350, and outstanding attorneys' fees. Given my prolonged lack of income and significant financial obligations, my ability to pay the costs of this case is extremely limited.

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

Executed on: February 18, 2026

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