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IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

NOELMAN Lee Scott, Sr. Pro Se PETITIONER  
(Your Name)

VS.

TRINA EAGSDALE — 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):

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY APPELLATE DIVISION

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.

Noelman L. Scott, Sr. Pro Se  
(Signature)

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

I, Norman Lee Scott, Sr. And, 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   | \$ 0   | \$ N/A | \$ 0                       | \$ N/A |
| Self-employment  | \$ 0   | \$ N/A | \$ 0                       | \$ N/A |
| Income from real property (such as rental income)                    | \$ 0   | \$ N/A | \$ 0                       | \$ N/A |
| Interest and dividends   | \$ 0   | \$ N/A | \$ 0                       | \$ N/A |
| Gifts  | \$ 0   | \$ N/A | \$ 0                       | \$ N/A |
| Alimony  | \$ 0   | \$ N/A | \$ 0                       | \$ N/A |
| Child Support  | \$ 0   | \$ N/A | \$ 0                       | \$ N/A |
| Retirement (such as social security, pensions, annuities, insurance) | \$ 0   | \$ N/A | \$ 0                       | \$ N/A |
| Disability (such as social security, insurance payments)             | \$ 2,813   | \$ N/A | \$ 2813                    | \$ N/A |
| Unemployment payments  | \$ 0   | \$ N/A | \$ 0                       | \$ N/A |
| Public-assistance (such as welfare)                                  | \$ 0   | \$ N/A | \$ 0                       | \$ N/A |
| Other (specify): <u>0</u>  | \$ 0   | \$ N/A | \$ 0                       | \$ N/A |
| <b>Total monthly income:</b>   | \$ 2,813   | \$ N/A | \$ 0                       | \$ N/A |

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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 |
|----------|---------|---------------------|-------------------|
| N/A      | N/A     | N/A                 | \$ 0              |
|          |         |                     | \$ 0              |
|          |         |                     | \$ 0              |

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                 | \$ 0              |
|          |         |                     | \$ 0              |
|          |         |                     | \$ 0              |

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                                    | \$ -1493.00     | \$ N/A                 |
|   | \$              | \$                     |
|   | \$              | \$                     |

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

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|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Home<br>Value <u>N/A</u>   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other real estate<br>Value <u>N/A</u>                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle #1<br>Year, make & model <u>N/A</u><br>Value _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle #2<br>Year, make & model <u>N/A</u><br>Value _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other assets<br>Description <u>N/A</u><br>Value _____            |   |

The first part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records of all transactions. It emphasizes that every entry, no matter how small, should be recorded to ensure the integrity of the financial statements. This includes not only sales and purchases but also expenses and income. The document provides a detailed explanation of how to categorize these transactions correctly, ensuring they are recorded in the appropriate accounts. It also highlights the need for regular reconciliation of bank statements and the company's records to identify any discrepancies early on.

The second part of the document focuses on the preparation of the income statement. It explains how to calculate net income by starting with total revenue and then subtracting all expenses, including cost of goods sold, operating expenses, and taxes. The document provides a step-by-step guide to ensure that all components are accounted for and calculated correctly. It also discusses the importance of reviewing the income statement for any unusual fluctuations or trends that might indicate underlying issues with the business's operations.

The final part of the document covers the preparation of the balance sheet. It explains how to determine the company's assets, liabilities, and equity at a specific point in time. The document provides a clear breakdown of how to value these items and how they should be presented in the financial statements. It also discusses the relationship between the balance sheet and the other financial statements, showing how they all work together to provide a comprehensive view of the company's financial health.

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 |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|
| TRINA Ragsdale                        | \$ 3273.28         | \$ N/A                     |
| N/A                                   | \$ 0               | \$ N/A                     |
| N/A                                   | \$ 0               | \$ N/A                     |

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 |
|------|--------------|-----|
| N/A  | N/A          | N/A |
| N/A  | N/A          | N/A |
| N/A  | N/A          | N/A |

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<br>(include lot rented for mobile home)                    | \$ 850 | \$ 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,<br>water, sewer, and telephone)                    | \$ 175 | \$ N/A      |
| Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)  | \$ 200 | \$ N/A      |
| Food   | \$ 250 | \$ N/A      |
| Clothing   | \$ 100 | \$ N/A      |
| Laundry and dry-cleaning   | \$ 125 | \$ N/A      |
| Medical and dental expenses  | \$ 135 | \$ N/A      |

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|   | You               | Your spouse   |
|---|-------------------|---------------|
| Transportation (not including motor vehicle payments)                                       | \$ 200            | \$ N/A        |
| Recreation, entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc.                                      | \$ 50             | \$ N/A        |
| Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)                        |                   |               |
| Homeowner's or renter's   | \$ 0              | \$ N/A        |
| Life  | \$ 0              | \$ N/A        |
| Health  | \$ 200            | \$ N/A        |
| Motor Vehicle   | \$ 0              | \$ N/A        |
| Other: _____ 0 _____  | \$ 0              | \$ N/A        |
| Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments)                            |                   |               |
| (specify): _____ 0 _____  | \$ 0              | \$ N/A        |
| Installment payments  |                   |               |
| Motor Vehicle   | \$ 0              | \$ N/A        |
| Credit card(s)  | \$ 650            | \$ N/A        |
| Department store(s)   | \$ 85             | \$ N/A        |
| Other: _____ 0 _____  | \$ 0              | \$ N/A        |
| Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others  | \$ 0              | \$ N/A        |
| Regular expenses for operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement) | \$ 0              | \$ N/A        |
| Other (specify): _____  | \$ 0              | \$ N/A        |
| <b>Total monthly expenses:</b>  | <b>\$ 3020.00</b> | <b>\$ N/A</b> |

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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? N/A

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

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

I AM DISABLE AND NOT ABLE TO WORK

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

Executed on: February 26<sup>th</sup>, 2026

James L. Scott, Sr., Pro Se  
(Signature)

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