

**UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT**

333 Constitution Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20001-2866
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USCA No. _____

v.

USDC No. _____

**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED
ON APPEAL IN FORMA PAUPERIS**

I, _____, declare that I am the
 appellant/petitioner appellee/respondent in the above-entitled proceeding. In support of this motion to proceed on appeal without being required to prepay fees, costs or give security therefor, I state that because of my poverty I am unable to prepay the costs of said proceeding or to give security therefor. My affidavit or sworn statement is attached.

I believe I am entitled to relief. The issues that I desire to present on appeal/review are as follows: *(Provide a statement of the issues you will present to the court. Attach an additional sheet if necessary.)*

Signature _____

Name of *Pro Se* Litigant _____

Address _____

Submit original with a certificate of service to:

Clerk of Court
United States Court of Appeals
for the District of Columbia Circuit
E. Barrett Prettyman U.S. Courthouse, Room 5523
333 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20001

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**AFFIDAVIT ACCOMPANYING MOTION FOR
PERMISSION TO APPEAL IN FORMA PAUPERIS**

Affidavit in Support of Motion

I swear or affirm under penalty of perjury that, because of my poverty, I cannot prepay the docket fees of my appeal or post a bond for them. I believe I am entitled to redress. I swear or affirm under penalty of perjury under United States laws that my answers on this form are true and correct. (28 U.S.C. § 1746; 18 U.S.C. § 1621.)

Instructions

Complete all questions in this application and then sign it. Do not leave any blanks: if the answer to a question is "0," "none," or "not applicable (N/A)," write in that response. If you need more space to answer a question or to explain your answer, attach a separate sheet of paper identified with your name, your case's docket number, and the question number.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

My issues on appeal are: _____

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	_____	_____	_____	_____
Self-employment	_____	_____	_____	_____
	You	Spouse	You	Spouse
Income from real property (such as rental income)	_____	_____	_____	_____
Interest and dividends	_____	_____	_____	_____
Gifts	_____	_____	_____	_____
Alimony	_____	_____	_____	_____
Child support	_____	_____	_____	_____
Retirement (such as social security, pensions, annuities, insurance)	_____	_____	_____	_____
Disability (such as social security, insurance payments)	_____	_____	_____	_____
Unemployment payments	_____	_____	_____	_____
Public-assistance (such as welfare)	_____	_____	_____	_____
Other (specify): _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Total monthly income:	_____	_____	_____	_____

2. List your 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
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

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
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

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.

Financial Institution	Type of Account	Amount you have	Amount your spouse has
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

If you are a prisoner, seeking to appeal a judgment in a civil action or proceeding, you must attach a statement certified by the appropriate institutional officer showing all receipts, expenditures, and balances during the last six months in your institutional accounts. If you have multiple accounts, perhaps because you have been in multiple institutions, attach one certified statement of each account.

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

Home (Value)	Other real estate(Value)	Motor Vehicle #1 _____ (Value)
_____	_____	Make & Year: _____
_____	_____	Model: _____
_____	_____	Registration #: _____
Motor Vehicle #2 _____	Other Assets (Value)	Other Assets (Value)
Make & Year: _____	_____	_____
Model: _____	_____	_____
Registration #: _____	_____	_____

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
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

7. State every person, business, or organization to whom you or your spouse owes money, the nature of the indebtedness, and the amount owed.

Person to whom you or your spouse owe money	Nature of indebtedness (e.g., mortgage, credit card)	Amount owed	
		by you	by spouse
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

8. State the persons who rely on you or your spouse for support.

Name [or, if under 18, initials only]	Relationship	Age
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

9. 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, semiannually, or annually to show the monthly rate.

	You	Spouse
Rent or home-mortgage payment (include lot rented for mobile home)	_____	_____
Are real-estate taxes included?	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No
Is property insurance included?	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No
	You	Spouse
Utilities (electricity, heating fuel, water, sewer, and telephone)	_____	_____
Home maintenance (repairs and upkeep)	_____	_____

You

Spouse

Food _____

Clothing _____

Laundry and dry-cleaning _____

Medical and dental expenses _____

Transportation (not including motor vehicle payments) _____

Recreation, entertainment, newspapers, magazines, etc. _____

Insurance (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments) _____

 Homeowner's or renter's _____

 Life _____

 Health _____

 Motor Vehicle _____

 Other: _____

Taxes (not deducted from wages or included in mortgage payments) _____

 (specify) _____

Installment payments _____

 Motor Vehicle _____

 Credit card (name): _____

 Department store _____

 (name): _____

 Other: _____

Alimony, maintenance, and support paid to others _____

Regular expenses for operation of business, profession, or farm (attach detailed statement) _____

Other(specify): _____

 Total monthly expenses: _____

10. 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.

11. 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:

12. 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?

If yes, how much? _____

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

13. Provide any other information that will help explain why you cannot pay the docket fees for your appeal.

14. State the city and state of your legal residence.

Your daytime phone number: (____) _____

Your age: _____ Your years of schooling: _____

Last four digits of your social-security number: _____