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| | : | IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS |
| Plaintiff | : | OF ERIE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA |
| v. | : | NO. |
| Defendant | : | |
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PETITION FOR LEAVE TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

1. I am the (Plaintiff) (Defendant) in the above matter and because of my financial condition am unable to pay the fees and costs of prosecuting or defending the action or proceeding.
2. I am unable to obtain funds from anyone, including my family and associates, to pay the costs of litigation.
3. I represent that the information below relating to my ability to pay the fees and costs is true and correct:

(a) Name: _____
 Address: _____

(b) Employment
 If you are presently employed, state
 Employer: _____
 Address: _____
 Salary or wages per month: _____
 Type of work: _____
 If you are presently unemployed, state
 Date of last employment: _____
 Salary or wages per month: _____
 Type of work: _____

(c) Other income within the past twelve months
 Business or profession: _____
 Other self employment: _____
 Interest: _____
 Dividends: _____
 Pension and annuities: _____
 Social security benefits: _____
 Support payments: _____
 Disability payments: _____
 Unemployment compensation and supplemental benefits: _____
 Workers' compensation: _____
 Public assistance: _____
 Other: _____

(d) Other contributions to household support
 (Wife)(Husband) Name: _____
 If your (Wife)(Husband) is employed, state
 Employer: _____
 Salary or wages per month: _____
 Type of work: _____

Contributions from children: _____
Contributions from parents: _____
Other contributions: _____

(e) Property owned

Cash: _____
Checking account: _____
Savings account: _____
Certificates of Deposit: _____
Real estate (including home): _____
Motor vehicle: Make _____, Year _____, Cost _____, Amount
Owed \$ _____
Stocks and bonds: _____
Other: _____

(f) Debts and obligations

Mortgage: _____
Rent: _____
Loans: _____
Other: _____

(g) Persons dependent upon you for support

(Wife)(Husband) Name: _____
Children, if any:
Name & Age: _____

Other persons:

Name: _____
Relationship: _____

4. I understand that I have a continuing obligation to inform the court of improvement in my financial circumstances which would permit me to pay the costs incurred herein.
5. I verify that the statements made in this affidavit are true and correct. I understand that false statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S. Sect. 4904, relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

Wherefore, I request this Honorable Court to enter an Order granting me leave to file an action as an indigent party without the necessity of paying any filing fees or costs.

Date: _____ Petitioner: _____

ORDER

AND NOW, to-wit, this _____ day of _____, the above
Petition for Leave to Proceed In Forma Pauperis is _____ as it pertains to the filing
fees and costs in this matter.

BY THE COURT:

Judge