

Petition for Waiver of Filing and Service Fees - Affidavit of Indigency and Order

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Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

Under oath, I state that because of poverty, I am unable to pay filing and service fees in this action, proceeding, or appeal, or to give security for those fees, and request waiver of those fees. I am attaching a copy of my pleading in this matter.

Complete Section 1 if you receive aid from any of the programs listed.

Section 1. If you do not receive aid, complete Section 2 on page 2.

I currently receive: Supplemental security income, Relief funded under §59.53(21), Wis. Stats., Medical assistance, Food stamps, Relief funded under public assistance, Benefits for veterans under §45.40 (1) or 38 USC 501-562, Legal representation from a civil legal services program or a volunteer attorney program based on indigency. Name of program: Other means-tested public assistance: My financial situation has has not changed since I became eligible for this program. If you checked the "has" box, and such changes would make you ineligible for the program(s) if you applied today, you must complete Section 2 on page 2 of this form.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that if my financial situation changes, I must notify the court immediately.

Notary Public/Court Official

Signature

Date

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Address

COURT FINDINGS AND ORDER

- 1. This petition is GRANTED because the court finds the petitioner is currently indigent. The action may be commenced without payment of filing fees. The sheriff shall serve all necessary documents without payment of service fees. The petitioner may be required to pay filing and services fees if the court later determines the petitioner has the ability to pay. Any request for waiver of any other fees or costs must be made to the court for consideration and decision.
2. This petition is DENIED because the court finds the petitioner is not indigent, but is currently not able to pay filing or service fees. This action may be filed by the Clerk and all necessary documents may be served by the sheriff without prepayment of fees. Such fees must be paid no later than
3. This petition is DENIED because the court finds: petitioner is not indigent. the allegation of poverty to be untrue. petitioner has not stated a meritorious claim, defense, or appeal upon which the court may grant relief: (Brief explanation)

BY THE COURT:

Original: Clerk of Circuit Court

Circuit Court Judge

Date

