

SUPREME COURT – COURT OF APPEALS, DISTRICT _____

Appellant or Petitioner: Please print or type.

Petition for Waiver of Fees/Costs - Affidavit of Indigency

-VS-

Respondent:

Case No. _____

Under oath I state that because of poverty, I am unable to pay the costs of this action, proceeding, or appeal, or to give security for those costs, and request waiver of those costs. I am attaching and incorporating into this affidavit a brief statement of the nature of the appeal or petition and the relief requested.

Complete Section 1 if you receive aid from any of the programs listed. If you do not receive aid, complete section 2 only.

Section 1.

- I currently receive: Supplemental security income, Relief funded under Wis. Stats. §59.53(21), Medical assistance, Food stamps/Food share, Relief funded under public assistance, Benefits for veterans under §45.40(1m) or 38 USC 501-562, Legal representation from a civil legal services program, a public defender 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 below.

Section 2.

- 1. I am/am not married.
2. I am/am not employed. Name of employer: _____
3. I earn [gross pay] \$ _____ weekly/every 2 weeks/twice monthly/monthly. My take-home pay [after taxes and deductions] is \$ _____ per pay period.
4. I receive monthly income totaling the amount of \$ _____ from: Pension/Social security/Unemployment compensation/Disability/Student loans/grants/Other: _____
5. I have the following cash assets: Savings accounts/Cash/Checking accounts/Money owed me: \$ _____
6. I have the following other assets: Vehicle-Yr./Make/Value/Household furnishings/Equity in real estate/Other individual assets valued over \$200 each: \$ _____

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Section 2 Continued:

7. My household consists of myself and _____ others:

Full name: _____	Relationship to me: _____	Under age 18 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Full name: _____	Relationship to me: _____	Under age 18 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Full name: _____	Relationship to me: _____	Under age 18 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Full name: _____	Relationship to me: _____	Under age 18 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Full name: _____	Relationship to me: _____	Under age 18 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

8. The other members of my household have gross monthly income totaling the amount of \$ _____ from:

<input type="checkbox"/> Wages	<input type="checkbox"/> Social security	<input type="checkbox"/> Relief funded under public assistance	<input type="checkbox"/> Food stamps/Food share
<input type="checkbox"/> Pension	<input type="checkbox"/> Student loans/grants	<input type="checkbox"/> Unemployment compensation	<input type="checkbox"/> Supplemental security income
<input type="checkbox"/> Disability	<input type="checkbox"/> Relief funded under §59.53(21), Wisconsin Statutes	<input type="checkbox"/> Support/maintenance	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____			

9. I do not receive income from any source because:

10. I have the following unusual debts or expenses, other than ordinary living expenses, on which I make monthly payments in the amount indicated: *This can include attorneys fees or cash bail, if applicable.*

<u>Type:</u>	<u>Amount:</u>	<u>Monthly Payment:</u>
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____

11. Anticipated transcript costs for this appeal (as represented to me by the court reporter): \$ _____

Note:

- You may attach a brief explanation of circumstances you feel the court should be made aware of in determining indigency.
- If you are a prisoner who is requesting permission to file an appeal or other proceeding in the supreme court or court of appeals without having to pay fees or costs, you are considered to have consented to the court ordering the prison to deduct the unpaid fees and costs from the prisoner's account if you lose the appeal or other proceeding. Wis. Stats. §814.29(3).

State of _____
 County of _____
 Subscribed and sworn to before me on _____

 Notary Public/Court Official

 Name Printed or Typed

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

My commission expires: _____

_____ Affiant _____ Date