

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
for the
Central District of Illinois

Plaintiff(s))
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 vs.) Case Number: _____
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Defendant(s))

MOTION TO REQUEST COUNSEL

1. I, _____, declare that I am (check one)
 Plaintiff Defendant in the above-entitled proceeding and state that I am unable to afford the services of an attorney, and I request that the Court assist me in seeking volunteer counsel to represent me in this proceeding.

2. In support of my motion, I declare that I have contacted the following attorneys/organizations seeking representation in this case: **(This item must be completed, and you should attach documentation showing that you have asked several attorneys to represent you in this case.)**

3. In further support of my motion, I declare that (check appropriate box):

 I am not currently, nor previously have been represented by an attorney appointed by the Court in this or any other civil or criminal proceeding before this Court.

 I am currently, or previously have been, represented by an attorney appointed by this Court in the proceeding(s) described on the back of this page.

4. In further support of my motion, I declare that (check appropriate box):

 I have attached an original Application to Proceed In Forma Pauperis detailing my financial status.

 I have previously filed an Application to Proceed In Forma Pauperis in this proceeding and it is a true and correct representation of my financial status.

4. (continued)

I have previously filed an Application to Proceed In Forma Pauperis in this proceeding; however, my financial status has changed and I have attached an amended Application to Proceed In Forma Pauperis to reflect my current financial status.

5. In further support of my motion, I declare that my highest level of education is (check one):

Grammar school only Some high school High School graduate

Some college College graduate Post-graduate

6. (Check only if applicable): In further support of my motion, I declare that my ability to speak, write, and/or read English is limited, because English is not my primary language or because (explain reason):

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

Date: _____

Movant's Signature

Street Address

City/State/Zip

Failure to complete all items in this form may result in the denial of this motion.