

The South Carolina Court of Appeals

Robert William Wazney, #363679, Appellant,


v.

South Carolina Department of Corrections, Respondent.

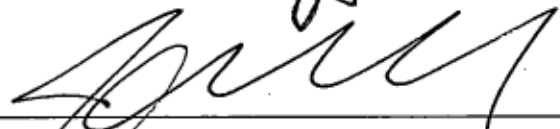
Appellate Case No. 2023-000737

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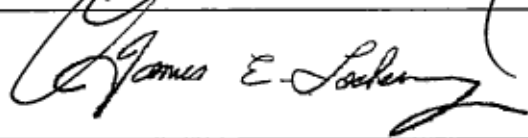
On June 15, 2023, we dismissed this appeal because Appellant failed to pay the required filing fee. On June 26, 2023, Appellant filed a motion to reinstate his appeal and a motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*. The right to proceed *in forma pauperis* must rest upon a statute or a fundamental constitutional right. *Ex parte Martin*, 321 S.C. 533, 471 S.E.2d 134 (1995). Appellant has the burden of showing his entitlement to this relief, but he has not done so. Because Appellant has been unable to establish his right to proceed *in forma pauperis* and has not paid the required filing fee, we deny his motion to reinstate.



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