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MOTION TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

Appellant, George Roman Pierson, respectfully moves this Court for an Order waiving the filing fee and allowing him to proceed with this appeal *in forma pauperis*. Mr. Pierson was incarcerated during the pendency of the litigation and is now committed to the S.C. Department of Mental Health. The Court appointed him an attorney to represent him in the underlying action due to his indigent status.

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served the Motion to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis* on the Respondent, State of South Carolina, by emailing a copy on September 5, 2024, addressed to the Assistant Attorney General James Fisher, jimfisher@scag.gov.

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