

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

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APPEAL FROM THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW COURT **SC Court of Appeals**
Hon. Rahph King Anderson, III, ALJ

South Carolina Department of Corrections, Respondent,
v. Appellant.
William Ballew,

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO OPROCEED
IN FORMA PAUPERIS

William Ballew requests to proceed without prepayment of fees in the above-captioned action seeking redress of the deprivation of constitutionally protected property rights. (See, Explanation of Appeal, Cf. Rule 243, SCACR, enclosed herewith). In support of this Motion, Appellant swears under penalty of perjury that he is without sufficient means to pay the costs thereof or to provide surety and that he believes he is entitled to the relief sought for in his appeal.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

William Ballew, #71297, pro se
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Dated: _____

January 2, 2026

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Clerk of Court
South Carolina Court of Appeals
P.O. Box 11629
Columbia, SC 29211
RE: Ballew v. SCDC
25-ALJ-04-0649-IJ

Dear Clerk of Court:

I am enclosing originals of the notice of appeal in the above case for filing. I am also enclosing the following:

1. Proof of service of the notice of appeal on the respondent;
2. A copy of the order which is to be challenged on appeal;
3. An "Explanation of Appeal, Cf. Rule 243, SCACR";
4. Motion for Leave to Proceed In Forma Pauperis.

With kind regards,

Sincerely,

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