1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 Dianne L. Akzam, No. 2:16-cv-02274-TLN 12 Petitioner. 13 **ORDER** v. 14 US Bank NA, et al, 15 Respondents. 16 17 Petitioner Dianne L. Akzam ("Petitioner") seeks to proceed with a bankruptcy appeal 18 before this Court in forma pauperis. (ECF No. 3.) Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a), "any court of 19 the United States may authorize the commencement, prosecution or defense of any suit, action or 20 proceeding, civil or criminal, or appeal therein, without prepayment of fees or security therefor, 21 by a person who submits an affidavit that includes a statement of all assets [the person] 22 possesses," and the person is unable to pay costs. Petitioner submitted an application to proceed in District Court without prepaying fees or costs. (ECF No. 3.) The Court has reviewed the 23 24 application submitted by Petitioner and finds that Petitioner has made the showing required by 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a) to proceed in forma pauperis. Accordingly, the Court hereby GRANTS 25 26 Petitioner's motion. 27 Dated: October 17, 2016 28 Troy L. Nunley 1 United States District Judge