UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI EASTERN DIVISION

JOE W. SLOAN,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
vs.)	Case No. 4:07CV685 HEA
)	
CITY OF ST. LOUIS,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

ORDER

This matter is before the Court upon the application of Joe W. Sloan for leave to commence this action without payment of the required filing fee. Upon consideration of the financial information provided with the application, the undersigned finds that the applicant is financially unable to pay any portion of the filing fee.

Therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that plaintiff's motion for leave to proceed in forma pauperis [Doc. #2] is **GRANTED**. See 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(1).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk shall issue process or cause process to be issued upon the complaint.

Dated this 17th day of April, 2007.

HENRY EDWARD AUTREY UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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