IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

MAMO K. KHALAF,)
Petitioner,))
V.)
STATE OF NEBRASKA, et al.,)
Respondent.)
)

8:15CV445

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

This matter is before the court on Petitioner's Motion for Leave to Appeal in Forma Pauperis (Filing No. <u>25</u>). Petitioner filed a Notice of Appeal (Filing No. <u>24</u>) on December 16, 2016. Petitioner appeals from the court's Judgment dated November 15, 2016 (Filing No. <u>23</u>). Upon review of Petitioner's Motion for Leave to Appeal in Forma Pauperis, the court finds Petitioner is entitled to proceed in forma pauperis on appeal.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Petitioner's Motion for Leave to Appeal in Forma Pauperis (Filing No. <u>25</u>) is granted.

2. The clerk's office is directed to provide the Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals with a copy of this order.

DATED this 20th day of December, 2016.

BY THE COURT:

s/ *Richard G. Kopf* Senior United States District Judge