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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEVADA

WILLIAM J. CUNDITT,)
Petitioner,	3:11-cv-00785-ECR-WGC
vs.	ORDER
HIGH DESERT STATE PRISON, et al.,	}
Respondents.	_}

This is a petition for writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 in which petitioner, a state prisoner, is proceeding *pro se*. Petitioner has filed two motions to proceed *in forma pauperis*. (ECF Nos. 1, 4.)

Petitioner's motions to proceed *in forma pauperis* are not on the form approved by this court and are incomplete. Petitioner must submit his application to proceed *in forma pauperis* on the court-approved form along with a financial certificate properly executed by an appropriate institutional officer and a statement of the petitioner's inmate trust fund account for the past six months. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(2); Local Rule LSR 1-1; Local Rule LSR 1-2.

Petitioner will be granted the opportunity to do one of the following: (1) pay the filing fee of

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\$5.00, or (2) file a fully completed application to proceed in forma pauper is on the court-approved form.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that petitioner's motions to proceed *in forma pauperis* (ECF Nos. 1, 4) are DENIED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that petitioner shall, within thirty (30) days from the date of entry of this order, do one of the following: (1) pay the filing fee of \$5.00, or (2) file a fully completed application to proceed *in forma pauperis*, on the correct form, including a financial certificate signed by an authorized prison or jail officer and a statement of his inmate trust fund account for the six months prior to the filing of his application.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if petitioner does not timely comply with this order, dismissal of this action may result.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the clerk shall SEND plaintiff the approved form for an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* and instructions for the same.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the clerk shall retain the petition, but shall not file it at this time.

Dated this ______ day of December, 2011.

Edward C. Rud.
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE