

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	§	
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Respondent/Plaintiff.	§	
	§	CRIMINAL ACTION NO. H-11-477
VS.	§	CIVIL ACTION H-13-764
	§	
JASON MICHAEL LALL,	§	
	§	
Petitioner/Defendant.	§	

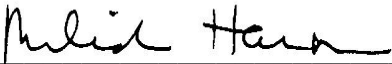
OPINION AND ORDER

Pending before the Court in the above referenced cause is Petitioner Jason Michael Lall's motion for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* (instrument #3 in H-13-764).

A § 2254 motion does not require a filing fee. *United States v. Ahern*, C-11-cr-333, C-13-191, (S.D. Tex. July 3, 2013), citing Rule 3, Rules Governing Section 2255 Proceedings for the United States District Courts (2012)(advisory committee note 1976, "There is no filing fee required of a movant under these rules."). Accordingly the Court

ORDERS that the motion is DENIED as moot.

SIGNED at Houston, Texas, this 20th day of April, 2015.



 MELINDA HARMON
 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE