

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

JONATHAN LEE RICHES,  
Plaintiff.

VS.

# THE GUINNESS BOOK OF WORLD RECORDS, et al.,

## Defendants.

NO. CV-09-00154-JLQ

**ORDER DENYING MOTION FOR  
LEAVE TO APPEAL *IN FORMA  
PAUPERIS***

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

The Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to Appeal *In Forma Pauperis* (Ct. Rec. 5) is **DENIED** pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2)(B)(i), the court finding that the Plaintiff's extensive and documented history of filing countless frivolous actions requires such denial. The Plaintiff's thousands of lawsuits constitute abuse of the privilege to proceed *in forma pauperis*. See *O'Laughlin v. Doe*, 920 F.2d 614, 616 (9th Cir. 1990).

The Clerk is hereby directed to enter this Order and furnish copies to Mr. Riches.

**DATED** this 21st day of June, 2009.

s/ Justin L. Quackenbush  
**JUSTIN L. QUACKENBUSH**  
**SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**