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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

KEVIN JOSEPH SMITH,

Plaintiff,

v.

ALEXIS T. WALLACE,

Defendant.

No. C10-5763 RBL/KLS

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION TO
PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS AND
DIRECTING INSTITUTION TO
CALCULATE, COLLECT, AND
FORWARD PAYMENTS

The Court, having reviewed Plaintiff's application to proceed in forma pauperis (Dkt. 1) does hereby find and **ORDER:**

Plaintiff's declaration indicates he is unable to afford the court's filing fee or give security therefor. Accordingly, Plaintiff's application to proceed as a pauper is **GRANTED**. **As set forth below, an initial partial filing fee will be collected, and Plaintiff is required to make monthly payments of 20 percent of the preceding months income credited to his/her account until the full amount of the filing fee is satisfied.**

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915 and Plaintiff's approved application to proceed *in forma pauperis*, the agency having custody of the above named Plaintiff is directed to calculate an initial partial filing fee equal to 20 percent of greater of -- the average monthly deposits to the prisoner's account or the average monthly balance in the prisoner's account for the 6-month period immediately preceding the date of this Order. The initial partial filing fee should be forwarded to the Court Clerk as soon as practicable.

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