

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

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DEMETRIUS BOYD ,

Petitioner,  
v.

GARY BOUGHTON,

Respondent.

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ORDER

Case No. 15-CV-718-WMC

Petitioner Demetrius Boyd seeks a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. Petitioner has neither paid the \$5 filing fee nor requested leave to proceed without prepayment of the filing fee. For this case to move forward, petitioner must pay the \$5 filing fee or submit a properly supported motion for leave to proceed without prepayment of the filing fee no later than December 2, 2015.

Federal law does not permit a court to waive a prisoner's entire obligation to pay filing fees, but it does allow a qualifying individual to proceed without prepaying some or all of the filing fee. To determine whether petitioner qualifies as indigent, any motion for leave to proceed without prepayment of the filing fee must include a certified copy of an inmate trust fund account statement (or institutional equivalent) for the six-month period beginning approximately May 5, 2015 through the date of the petition, November 5, 2015.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Petitioner Demetrius Boyd may have until December 2, 2015, to pay the \$5 filing fee or submit a properly supported motion for leave to proceed without prepayment of the filing fee.

2. If petitioner does not submit either the \$5 payment or a motion for leave to proceed without prepayment before December 2, 2015, I will assume that petitioner wishes to withdraw this action voluntarily and will dismiss the petition without further notice.

Entered this 12th day of November, 2015.

BY THE COURT:

/s/  
PETER OPPENEER  
Magistrate Judge