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

REINALDO ACOSTA,

Petitioner.

ORDER

v.

Case No. 18-cv-143-wmc

STANLEY CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION,

Respondent.

Petitioner Reinaldo Acosta 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 March 23, 2018. 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 September 1, 2017 through the date of the petition, March 1, 2018.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Petitioner Reinaldo Acosta may have until March 23, 2018, 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 March 23, 2018, I will assume that petitioner wishes to withdraw this petition.

Entered this 1st day of March, 2018.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ PETER OPPENEER Magistrate Judge