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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

No. DA 23-0512

Richard E. Shreves
Appellant

MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OFTIME TO FILE NOTICE OF APPEAL

v.

Montana Dept. of Labor & Industry et. al.,
Appellee.

Comes now Richard E. Shreves, Appellant Pro-se, who moves this honorable court to allow him to file his NOTICE OF APPEAL AND MOTION TO PROCEED WITHOUT PAYING THE FILING FEE later than the date set in the previous order. That order stated Shreves "shall prepare, file, and serve a Notice of Appeal oin or before Tuesday, October 24, 2023" (9-26-23 ORDER at 2).

Shreves prepared the NOtice of Appeal, Motion to proceed without pauying the filing fee, and also attempted to get copies of the appealed ORDER; However, the Idaho prison officials held the documents from 10-12-23 until 10116-23, so Shreves must now file this motion. The documents were returned to Shreves stating "I am also returning the dfocuments yo7u requested copies for. Out department policy is to make copies while sending designated qualified legal claims specified by the Access to Court SOP, but not on request." (ISCC Resource Center Response 10/13/23). In light of that response and the refusal to copy the documents, Shrevees has no idea how long

it will take to get the copies so that he can comply with the rules to send a copy of each document to counsel of opposing parties. This is a complete and utter cluster and resolution will take time. It appears the officials have no bounds to the things they will do to frustrate these claims and the prosecution of this appeal.

CONCLUSION

This honorable court should grant an extension until November 24, 2023. Shreves will attempt to file the required documents as soon as he gets copies for the others. No copy of this motion was made due to time constraints and concerns it will be held for another 5 days, frustrating the process further.

Dated October 172027

Signed

Rachard E. Shreves Appellant Pro-se

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify on the 17 day of October, 2023,. I deposited a MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE NOTICE OF APPEAL in the Idaho state Prison Mail, postage prepaid to be sent to no other party due to constraints of the officials at the prison.

Rachard E. Shreves