In the Supreme Court of the State of Alaska

Patrick Leo Shorty,	)	
	)	Supreme Court No. **S-17449**
Petitioner,	)	
v.	)	**Order**
	)	
State of Alaska,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	Date of Order: **5/7/19**
	)	

Court of Appeals Case # **A-12449**
Trial Court Case # **3AN-09-11007CI**

The Petitioner, Patrick Leo Shorty, moves for an extension of time to file a petition for hearing and to waive the filing fee. No opposition has been filed. This case, a prisoner's petition for hearing from a court of appeals decision against the State of Alaska, is governed by the provisions of AS 9.19. Under AS 9.19.010(d), even when a prisoner cannot afford to pay the normal filing fee, the filing fee must be at least 20 percent of (1) the average monthly amount of deposits to the prisoner's account during the preceding six months or (2) the average monthly balance of the prisoner's account during the preceding six months, whichever is greater.

Based on the financial information provided by the Petitioner, the greater figure is twenty percent of the average monthly balance of the prisoner's account during the preceding six months: $22.81. It is the practice of this court to round the minimum filing fee down to the nearest 25 cents. In Mr. Shorty's case, this yields a minimum filing fee of $22.75.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED:

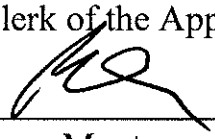
1. Mr. Shorty's motion for extension of time to file petition for hearing is **GRANTED**. The petition is now due on or before **6/24/19**.

2. Mr. Shorty's motion to waive the normal filing fee is **GRANTED** in part.

3. Mr. Shorty shall pay a reduced filing fee of **$22.75**. This fee must be paid within 30 days of this order. If there is good reason, the court may grant an extension of this deadline. If Mr. Shorty fails to pay the filing fee within the time allowed, this case may be closed.

Entered at the direction of an individual justice.

Clerk of the Appellate Courts



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