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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WASHINGTON COUNTY**
**STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

**THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA,**
**Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**FLYNN ROBERT MARTIN,**
**Defendant.**

**Case No. CM-2024-00301**

**EX PARTE AND PRO SE APPLICATION FOR MINISTERIAL RELIEF PURSUANT TO 20 O.S. § 106.4(B)**

**COMES NOW** the Defendant, Flynn Robert Martin, appearing pro se, and respectfully submits this Application for ministerial relief pursuant to 20 O.S. § 106.4(B), requesting the preparation of a transcript to support potential review of prior proceedings in this matter.

This request is made without prejudice to any pending issues and does not seek a ruling on any contested facts or legal questions.

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## I. BACKGROUND

On April 14, 2025, Defendant filed a *Motion to Assign Court Reporter and Preserve Record of All Future Proceedings.* That motion referenced Defendant's intent to ensure access to a complete record but did not include the affidavit required under 20 O.S. § 106.4(B) to request court-fund payment for transcript preparation.

On May 15, 2025, a proceeding was held in chambers, and court reporter D. Tanner was present. The OCIS ledger reflects a court reporter fee, indicating a verbatim record was made.

Defendant now submits the required affidavit in support of transcript preparation and respectfully requests that the Court treat this Application as supplementing the April 14 motion for purposes of statutory compliance. The supporting affidavit, titled "Affidavit of Intent to Seek Review and Inability to Pay for Transcript," is filed contemporaneously and incorporated herein by reference.

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**II. BASIS FOR RELIEF REQUESTED**

Under 20 O.S. § 106.4(B), a defendant in a criminal case may request that the cost of a transcript be paid from the District Court Fund when the following three conditions are met:

1. The defendant presents a sworn affidavit stating an intent in good faith to seek appellate or supervisory review;

2. The affidavit affirms that a transcript is necessary to pursue such review; and

3. The affidavit affirms that the defendant does not have the means to pay for the transcript.

Defendant has submitted a sworn and notarized affidavit satisfying each of these conditions, and respectfully requests that the Court take notice of the filing and act as appropriate.

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## III. LIMITS OF REQUESTED RELIEF

This Application is strictly limited to requesting preparation of a transcript as permitted by statute. Defendant does not seek any ruling on the merits of the case, nor any action on pending motions or contested issues. This filing is made solely to ensure access to the official record for possible future review, as provided under 20 O.S. § 106.4(B).

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## IV. PRAYER FOR RELIEF

**WHEREFORE**, Defendant respectfully requests:

A. That the Court find a reasonable basis for the accompanying affidavit submitted in compliance with 20 O.S. § 106.4(B);

B. That the Court direct court reporter D. Tanner to prepare and file a certified transcript of the May 15, 2025 proceeding at the expense of the District Court Fund;

C. That the Court permit the court reporter to deliver a copy of the transcript to Defendant via electronic means, in light of Defendant's out-of-state residence;

D. That this Application be received and docketed without requiring oral hearing or adversarial proceeding, and without prejudice to any other filings or issues pending before the Court.

Respectfully submitted,



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**Dated:** May 20, 2025

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on May 20, 2025, I mailed a true and correct copy of the foregoing Application, along with the supporting affidavit, to the Washington County Court Clerk, with a request that copies be placed in both the District Attorney's box and the box of the Honorable Judge Jared Sigler.

Respectfully submitted,

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