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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ILLINOIS

EHAB ALLABIDI,
Petitioner, Pro Se,

v.

HON. CHRISTOPHER R. STRIDE, Judge of the
Circuit Court of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit,
Lake County, Illinois, and the
PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS,
Respondents.

No. _____

**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AN
EMERGENCY MOTION FOR
SUPERVISORY ORDER**

Original Proceeding for
Supervisory Order
(Ill. S. Ct. R. 383)

Related Mandamus Action:
No. 133295 (Ill. S. Ct.)

Related Trial Case:
People v. Allababidi
Lake County No. 23 CF 1146

**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AN EMERGENCY MOTION FOR SUPERVISORY
ORDER**

Illinois Supreme Court Rule 383 — Original Proceeding

Petitioner EHAB ALLABABIDI, appearing pro se, respectfully moves this Honorable Court under Illinois Supreme Court Rule 383 and Article VI, Section 16 of the Illinois Constitution for leave to file the attached Emergency Motion for Supervisory Order and its Supporting Record. In support of this motion, Petitioner states as follows:

I. PROCEDURAL VEHICLE AND JURISDICTIONAL BASIS

1. This motion invokes this Court's original supervisory authority under Article VI, Section 16 of the Illinois Constitution. Supervisory authority is the correct and necessary vehicle because Petitioner seeks to enforce compliance with a mandatory, non-discretionary statutory procedure that has been bypassed in the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit.

II. THE EMERGENCY POSTURE AND THREAT OF UNLAWFUL CUSTODY

2. The emergency arises from a custody-triggering order entered and file-stamped at 10:48 a.m. on June 18, 2026, which lifted the stay of Petitioner's 180-day jail sentence in *People v. Allababidi*, Lake County Case No. 23 CF 1146. Concurrently, an active violation warrant issued on May 28, 2026 remains outstanding. Petitioner faces immediate arrest and confinement under an order whose validity is subject to a serious threshold jurisdictional challenge.

III. OBJECTIVE RECORD SUPPORT AND TIMING CHRONOLOGY

3. The timeline is verified by time-stamped faxes and official portal records. Petitioner's 39-page verified motion for substitution of judge for cause under 725 ILCS 5/114-5(d) was delivered by fax to Chief Judge Daniel B. Shanes at 5:07 a.m. CDT and to the Lake County State's Attorney at 5:09 a.m. CDT on June 18, 2026 (Exhibits B, C, D). The stay-lift order was not file-stamped until 10:48 a.m. CDT that same morning (Exhibit A). The stay-lift order was thus entered exactly **5 hours and 41 minutes** after the Chief Judge was served with the statutory transfer demand. Delivering the motion to the Chief Judge's office and staff

constitutes filing and presentation under Illinois law when the Circuit Clerk blockades the docket. See *Durbin v. Spagnola*, 343 Ill. App. 3d 742, 747 (2d Dist. 2003).

IV. NARROW AND GRANTABLE RELIEF REQUESTED

4. Petitioner's proposed Emergency Motion for Supervisory Order requests narrow, immediately grantable relief to preserve the status quo: (a) a temporary stay of the stay-lift order and the warrant, and (b) direction to the Chief Judge to immediately assign the substitution motion to a judge not named in it for hearing. Petitioner does not ask this Court to decide the merits of the revocation petition or the substitution motion, ensuring that no premature adjudication of the merits occurs.

V. STRONG STATUTORY BASIS UNDER ILLINOIS LAW

5. Under 725 ILCS 5/114-5(d), upon the filing of a motion for substitution of judge for cause, a hearing must be conducted as soon as possible by a judge not named in the motion. The statute's mandatory neutral-judge procedure divests the named judge of authority to enter further substantive, liberty-depriving orders, and any such order entered before the cause hearing is conducted by a neutral judge is void as a matter of law. *People v. Redisi*, 188 Ill. App. 3d 797, 801 (2d Dist. 1989); *People v. Boswell*, 250 Ill. App. 3d 537, 540 (2d Dist. 1993). The June 18 stay-lift order was entered in violation of this mandatory statutory divestiture and is void.

VI. INADEQUACY OF NORMAL APPELLATE REVIEW

6. Ordinary appellate review cannot provide adequate relief before Petitioner is incarcerated. The local forum is unavailable: the Circuit Clerk blockades pro se filings, which is the subject of the pending mandamus action (No. 133295) before this Court. Petitioner's appointed public defender constructively abandoned him, leaving him locked out of the trial court's docket.

VII. MITIGATION OF THE EXTRAORDINARY-REMEDY RISK

7. Although supervisory relief is extraordinary, it is necessary here to prevent a structural breakdown in the trial court's administration. When a trial judge enforces a custodial order entered after a statutory transfer demand is presented, it undermines the integrity of the assignment system and leaves a self-represented citizen without any avenue for neutral review.

VIII. COMPLIANCE WITH RULE 383 AND RULE 328

8. This motion is accompanied by the proposed Emergency Motion for Supervisory Order, which contains full explanatory suggestions. The pertinent trial court records are attached as Exhibits A through I in the Supporting Record, authenticated by certification under Rule 328.

IX. VERIFICATION AND SERVICE

9. Petitioner has verified the factual allegations of this motion under penalties of perjury pursuant to 735 ILCS 5/1-109 and 28 U.S.C. 1746. All interested and nominal parties have been served concurrently by electronic transmission.

Respectfully submitted,

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VERIFICATION

Under penalties as provided by law pursuant to 735 ILCS 5/1-109 and 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I certify that the statements set forth in this Motion for Leave to File are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

/s/ Ehab Allababidi
EHAB ALLABABIDI
Dated: June 23, 2026

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Illinois Supreme Court Rules 11, 12, and 383

I, Ehab Allababidi, certify under 735 ILCS 5/1-109 and 28 U.S.C. § 1746 that on June 23, 2026, I caused a true and correct copy of this Motion for Leave to File an Emergency Motion for Supervisory Order and its supporting exhibits to be served by eFileIL submission and/or electronic mail upon the following persons and offices to the maximum extent available:

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Because Petitioner is self-represented, indigent, and subject to an active custodial warrant, electronic service and courtesy-copy transmission are used to provide immediate actual notice while avoiding physical courthouse exposure.

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