

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

Kimberly J. Williams v. Commissioner of Social Security

Williams · No. 8:25-CV-695 · Decided February 3, 2026

OPINION

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA
KIMBERLY J. WILLIAMS, Plaintiff, 8:25-CV-695 vs. ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY, Defendant. The plaintiff filed this case on
December 5, 2025, without paying the filing fee. See filing 1. Instead, she filed a motion to
proceed in forma pauperis. Filing 2. But that motion was deficient, consisting of a single page and,
crucially, missing anything that would constitute an affidavit or other verified declaration of the
facts it contained.

See 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(1); see also 28 U.S.C. § 1746. Accordingly, the Court denied the motion,
explaining that it was incomplete, and directed the plaintiff's counsel to refile the document. Filing
5. That hasn't been done.

As a result, the plaintiff has neither paid the filing fee nor been given leave to proceed in forma
pauperis. The plaintiff's complaint is subject to dismissal for failure to pay the filing fee and
failure to comply with the Court's previous order. See 28 U.S.C. § 1914; Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(b); see
also *Brooks v. Special Sch. Dist. of St. Louis Cnty.*, 129 F.3d 121 (8th Cir.

1997). Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED: 1. On or before February 17, 2026, the plaintiff shall show
cause why this case should not be dismissed for failure to pay the filing fee or move for IFP status
and for failure to comply with the Court's orders. 2. Absent good cause, this case will be dismissed
without further notice. 3.

The Clerk of the Court is directed to set a show cause deadline for February 17, 2026. Dated this
3rd day of February, 2026. BY THE COURT: hn M. Gerrard enior United States District Judge