

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF
NEW YORK**

**Dr. Mohamed Abdelmoneim Abdelrahman Eltayeb v. U.S.
Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS), et al.**

No. 25-CV-9786 (LTS), United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (November 25,
2025)

OPINION

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK DR. MOHAMED ABDELMONEIM ABDELRAHMAN ELTAYEB, Plaintiff, 25-CV-9786 (LTS) - against- ORDER DIRECTING PAYMENT OF FEE OR IFP APPLICATION U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES (USCIS), ET AL. Defendants. LAURA TAYLOR SWAIN, Chief United States District Judge: Plaintiff, who is appearing pro se, brings this action seeking emergency relief.

To proceed with a civil action in this Court, a plaintiff must either (1) pay \$405.00 in fees—a \$350.00 filing fee plus a \$55.00 administrative fee, or (2) request authorization to proceed in forma pauperis (IFP), that is, without prepayment of fees, by submitting a signed IFP application. See 28 U.S.C. §§ 1914, 1915. Plaintiff submitted the complaint without the filing fees or an IFP application.

Within 30 days of the date of this order, Plaintiff must either pay the \$405.00 in fees or submit the attached IFP application. If Plaintiff submits the IFP application, it should be labeled with docket number 25-CV-9786 (LTS). If the Court grants the IFP application, Plaintiff will be permitted to proceed without prepayment of fees. See 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(1).

No summons shall issue at this time. If Plaintiff complies with this order, the case shall be processed in accordance with the procedures of the Clerk's Office. If Plaintiff fails to comply with this order within the time allowed, the action will be dismissed without prejudice.

The Court certifies under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(3) that any appeal from this order would not be taken in good faith, and therefore IFP status is denied for the purpose of an appeal. Cf. *Coppedge v. United States*, 369 U.S. 438, 444–45 (1962) (holding that appellant demonstrates good faith when seeking review of a nonfrivolous issue). SO ORDERED. Dated: November 25, 2025 New York, New York /s/ Laura Taylor Swain LAURA TAYLOR SWAIN Chief United States District Judge