

Supreme Court of the State of New York
Appellate Division: Second Judicial Department

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REINALDO E. RIVERA, J.P.
ANITA R. FLORIO
THOMAS A. DICKERSON
RANDALL T. ENG, JJ.

2009-02468

DECISION & ORDER ON MOTION

In the Matter of Seasia D. (Anonymous).
Family Focus Adoption Services, Inc.,
et al., petitioners-respondents; Kareem W.
(Anonymous), appellant, et al., respondents.

(Docket No. A-17771-04)

Motion by the appellant for leave to prosecute an appeal from an order of the Family Court, Queens County, dated February 9, 2009, as a poor person, for leave to prosecute the appeal on the original record, for free transcripts, and to waive the filing fee.

Upon the papers filed in support of the motion and no papers having been filed in opposition or in relation thereto, it is

ORDERED that the motion is granted; and it is further,

ORDERED that the appeal will be heard on the original papers (including a certified transcript of the proceedings, if any) and on the briefs of the appellant, the respondent, and the attorney for the child, if any. The parties are directed to file nine copies of their respective briefs and to serve one copy on each other (22 NYCRR 670.9[d][1][ii]; Family Ct Act § 1116); and it is further,

ORDERED that the stenographer(s) and/or the transcription service(s) is/are required promptly to make and certify two transcripts of the proceedings, if any, except for those minutes previously transcribed and certified (22 NYCRR 671.9); in the case of stenographers, both transcripts shall be filed with the Clerk of the Family Court, and the Clerk of the Family Court shall furnish one of such certified transcripts to the appellant's counsel, without charge; in the case of transcription services, one transcript shall be filed with the clerk of the Family Court and one transcript shall be delivered to the assigned counsel. Assigned counsel is directed to provide copies of said transcripts to all of the other parties to the appeal, including the attorney for the child, if any, when counsel serves the appellant's brief upon those parties; and it is further,

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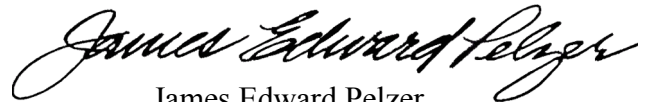
ORDERED that the appellant's counsel shall prosecute the appeal expeditiously in accordance with any scheduling order or orders issued pursuant to § 670.4(a) of the rules of this court (22 NYCRR 670.4[a]); and it is further,

ORDERED that the payment of the filing fee is waived; and it is further,

ORDERED that the appellant's counsel is directed to serve a copy of this order upon the Clerk of the court from which the appeal is taken.

RIVERA, J.P., FLORIO, DICKERSON, and ENG, JJ., concur.

ENTER:

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James Edward Pelzer". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

James Edward Pelzer
Clerk of the Court