

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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In Re:

Application for Exemption from

Electronic Public Access Fees  
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**ADMINISTRATIVE  
ORDER  
2017-07**

**PACER FEE EXEMPTION ORDER**

The Court received an application request by Matthew Reid Krell, J.D. for exemption from the fees imposed by the Electronic Public Access fee schedule adopted by the Judicial Conference of the United States Courts.

Matthew Reid Krell, J.D., Ph. D. Candidate, University of Alabama Arts & Sciences has demonstrated that an exemption is necessary in order to avoid unreasonable burdens and to promote public access to information. Accordingly, Matthew Reid Krell, J.D. shall be exempt from the payment of fees for access via PACER to the electronic case files maintained in this court, to the extent such use is incurred in the course of his scholarly research in areas related to pleadings rules and the disposition of civil rights cases. Matthew Reid Krell, J.D. shall not be exempt from the payment of fees incurred in connection with other uses of the PACER system in this court. Additionally, the following limitations apply:

1. his fee exemption applies only to Matthew Reid Krell, J.D. and is valid only for the purposes stated above;
2. this fee exemption applies only to the electronic case files of this court that are available through the PACER system;
3. by accepting this exemption, Matthew Reid Krell, J.D. agrees not to sell for profit any data obtained as a result of receiving this exemption;
4. this exemption is valid for one year unless earlier revoked.

This exemption may be revoked at the discretion of the Court at any time. A copy of this Order shall be sent to the PACER Service Center together with a copy of the application.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: Brooklyn, New York  
July 17, 2017

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Dora L. Irizarry  
Chief Judge