UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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In Re: ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
Application for Exemption from Electronic Public   NO. 2023-10
Access Fees

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PACER FEE EXEMPTION ORDER

The Court received an application request by Michael Loadenthal for exemption from the fees imposed by the Electronic Public Access fee schedule adopted by the Judicial Conference of the United States Courts.

Michael Loadenthal, a postdoctoral research fellow affiliated with the University of Cincinnati's Center for Cyber Strategy and Policy, has demonstrated that an exemption is necessary in order to avoid unreasonable burdens and to promote public access to information. Accordingly, Michael Loadenthal 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 necessary to his criminal prosecutions research project intended to teach students how to conduct legal research, perform statistical analysis, and collect complex data sets. Michael Loadenthal shall not be exempt from the payment of fees incurred in connection with other uses of the PACER system in this Court. In addition, the following limitations apply:

1. this fee exemption applies only to Michael Loadenthal (PACER Account # 5609843) 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, Michael Loadenthal agrees not to sell for profit any data obtained as a result of receiving this exemption and not to redistribute any data over the internet;
4. this exemption is valid until May 31, 2023, 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: March 8, 2023
      Brooklyn, New York   s/ MKB

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MARGO K. BRODIE
Chief United States District Judge