

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

THOMAS W. SHELLEY,

Petitioner,

ORDER

v.

08-cv-0076-bbc

MICHAEL A. WILLIAMS and DIVISION
OF COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS,

Respondents.

Petitioner Thomas Shelley has filed a petition for a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. Petitioner seeks leave to proceed *in forma pauperis*. Having considered petitioner's affidavit of indigency, I find that he is unable to prepay the fees of commencing this action or to post security therefor, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(1). Accordingly, petitioner's request for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* is granted.

Entered this 4th day of March, 2008.

BY THE COURT:

/s/

BARBARA B. CRABB
District Judge