

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE SEVENTH CIRCUIT

RAYMOND E BUTLER, II,

7th Cir. Case No. 25-2589

District Court Case No. 1:25-cv-04443

Appellant,

Hon. April M. Perry

v

ELI JACKFINN EDDI a/k/a ELY EDDI, ILANA FINN EDDI, DORINE MAGENCE, MANUEL MAGENCE, JEFFREY K. GUTMAN, NACHSHON DRAIMAN, WILLIAM KANTER, JOEL S. ROTHMAN, MOSHE SOLOVEICHIK, ALAN GREEN, JERRY CHERNEY, SHMUEL FUERST, HAROLD KATZ, SAMUEL MASLATON, DANIEL BERGMAN, IRVING BIRNBAUM, ARON STANTON, CHAIM RAJCHENBACH, RIVKA RAJCHENBACH, AVRUM RAJCHENBACH, MENACHEM SHABAT, AHUVA SHABAT, RONALD SHABAT, ERIC ROTHNER, COLMAN GINSPARG, JAMES MAINZER, MARSHALL K. BROWN, JEFFREY FINN, MEIR "AARON" COHEN, GARRY CHANKIN, NANCY ROSEN, MARK ANTEBI, BARRY ANTEBI, DAVID R. RAANAN, and ELLIOT E. ANTEBEI.

Appellees.

RELIEF REQUESTED BY TUESDAY, May 12, 2026

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE SUPPLEMENTAL PETITION FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS

Petitioner Raymond E. Butler II, by and through undersigned counsel, respectfully moves this Court for leave to file the attached Supplemental Petition for Writ of Mandamus.

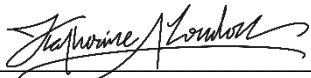
The Supplemental Petition provides critical new facts that have arisen in the underlying district court proceedings since the original Petition was filed on April 20, 2026. These facts, including the May 1, 2026 denial of the motion to

correct the transcript (ECF 255), the May 5, 2026 denial of the evidentiary hearing motions with an explicit threat of sanctions up to dismissal (ECF 258), the ongoing refusal to rule on Petitioner's pro se motion while simultaneously ruling on his filings and restricting his access, and related obstructions directly strengthen the showing that Judge Perry's impartiality might reasonably be questioned under 28 U.S.C. § 455(a) and that mandamus relief is warranted.

Granting leave will not prejudice any party and will assist the Court in having a complete and current record before ruling on the original Petition.

For the foregoing reasons, Petitioner respectfully requests that the Court grant this Motion for Leave and order the Supplemental Petition filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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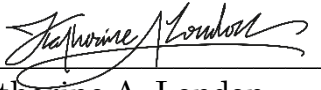
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Dated: May 6, 2026

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on May 6, 2026, the foregoing Motion was filed electronically via the Seventh Circuit CM/ECF system and served on all parties of record.

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