

# UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE SEVENTH CIRCUIT

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## SANCTION ORDER

December 5, 2024

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| No. 24-2479   | ANTOINETTE C. SELLERS,<br>Plaintiff - Appellant<br><br>v.<br><br>DYER POLICE DEPARTMENT, et al.,<br>Defendants - Appellees |
| <b>Originating Case Information:</b>  |  |
| District Court No: 2:24-cv-00082-JTM-JEM<br>Northern District of Indiana, Hammond Division<br>District Judge James T. Moody |  |

On November 12, 2024, this court dismissed this appeal and ordered appellant to show cause why she should not be sanctioned for continuing to bring frivolous litigation. Appellant has not filed a response to this court's show cause order and the time to do so has passed. Accordingly,

**IT IS ORDERED** that appellant Antoinette Sellers is sanctioned \$500 for filing a frivolous appeal. Within fourteen days of the date of this order, she must tender a check payable to the clerk of this court for the full amount of the sanction.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the clerks of all federal courts in this circuit shall return unfiled any papers submitted either directly or indirectly by or on behalf of Antoinette Sellers, unless and until she pays in full all sanctions that have been imposed against her and all outstanding filing fees. See *In re City of Chicago*, 500 F.3d 582, 585-86 (7th Cir. 2007); *Support Sys. Int'l, Inc. v. Mack*, 45 F.3d 185, 186 (7th Cir. 1995). In accordance with our decision in *Mack*, exceptions to this filing bar are made for criminal cases and for applications for writs of habeas corpus. See *Mack*, 45 F.3d at 186-87. This order will be lifted immediately once she makes full payment. See *City of Chicago*, 500 F.3d at 585-86. If appellant, despite her best efforts, is unable to pay in full all outstanding sanctions and filing fees, she is authorized to submit to this court a motion to modify or rescind this order no earlier than two years from the date of this order. See *id.*; *Mack*, 45 F.3d at 186.