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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

STEPHEN P. WALLACE,

Petitioner,

v.

BERYL A. HOWELL, *et al.*,

Respondents.

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) Civil Action No. 19-3692 (UNA)
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MEMORANDUM OPINION

It appears that the petitioner is challenging the dismissal of his prior civil action. *See Wallace v. McConnell, et al.*, Civ. No. 19-2168 (D.D.C. Aug. 1, 2019). Such a challenge is properly raised by appealing the decision to the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 1291. Therefore, the Court will grant the petitioner's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* and dismiss the petition and this civil action without prejudice for lack of subject matter jurisdiction.

An Order accompanies this Memorandum Opinion.

DATE: January 3, 2020
~~December~~, 2019



RANDOLPH D. MOSS
United States District Judge