

On Sun, 13 Apr 2025, 19:09 Irene Spalletti, <irene.spalletti@gmail.com> wrote:

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to request the official transcripts of two family court hearings relating to case number ED24F00300, which took place on 26 November 2024 and 5 February 2025.

I have attached the following forms in support of this request:

- EX105_Spalletti vs Walker_ED24F00300_26.11.24
- EX107_Spalletti vs Walker_ED24F00300_26.11.24
- EX105_Spalletti vs Walker_ED24F00300_05.02.25
- EX107_Spalletti vs Walker_ED24F00300_05.02.25

These transcripts are urgently required to address the repeated misuse and misrepresentation of the hearings by the Respondent and their legal representatives — including the omission of key discussions with the Judge and distortion of the Judge's decisions.

As a Litigant in Person currently in receipt of Universal Credit, I am unable to afford the cost of transcripts. I have therefore completed and enclosed Form EX107 (Request for Transcription) and Form EX105 (Application for Assistance with Fees) to formally request that the costs be covered at public expense.

My financial hardship is a direct result of prolonged financial control and abuse by the Respondent, which has left me with no access to legal representation or additional funds to obtain these essential transcripts.

I would be grateful if the Court could process this request as soon as possible, or advise me if any further steps are required.

Warmest regards,
Irene Spalletti

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On Wed, 30 Apr 2025 at 17:15, Edmonton County, Enquiries <enquiries.edmonton.countycourt@justice.gov.uk> wrote:

Dear Irene,

Thank you for your email.

Your email has been referred to the Judge who comments as follows:

"The request that the costs of transcripts be paid of public expense relating to the orders dates 26/11/24 and 05/02/25. This is because special circumstances have not been demonstrated."

If you wish to pay for your transcripts yourself, please make the below amendments, and return the amended EX107 forms, which we will process separately:

A3: You have selected both "Party" and "Other." As you are a litigant in person, "Party" is the appropriate selection. Please update accordingly.

A10: You have selected more than one transcription company. Kindly select a single transcription company of your choice.

A14: You have selected "Yes." However, as per the judge's order, public funding for the transcript has not been approved. Please amend your selection accordingly.

B2: The name and address of the Court where the hearing took place require amending. Please update this section with the exact details for our court.

Unfortunately, we will not be able to provide a time estimate, as the time taken to process your transcript will depend on the time taken to return the amended EX107 forms and the service level band you choose.

Kind Regards,

Busayo Agbetuyi

Listing Team Leader

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Case Ref: **ED24F00300**
Case Ref: **M00ED350**

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30 April 2025

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to respectfully request reconsideration of the decision to decline my application for the transcripts of the hearings held on 26 November 2024 and 5 February 2025 (Case Ref: ED24F00300) to be provided at public expense.

I understand that the decision was made on the grounds that "special circumstances have not been demonstrated." However, I would like to clarify why I believe special circumstances do exist and why these transcripts are essential for the proper administration of justice in my case.

I am a Litigant in Person with no legal representation, and I am currently in receipt of Universal Credit, which reflects my inability to meet any legal costs. These transcripts are not merely for record-keeping purposes—they are critical to ensuring justice and procedural fairness in both the current proceedings and related legal matters.

Reasons supporting "special circumstances":

The content of the hearings has been misrepresented by the Respondent and their legal representatives, both in oral submissions and in their written CPR Part 8 TOLATA application (Case Ref: M00ED350). The Respondent has falsely described the Judge's decisions and misrepresented the Respondent's financial responsibilities. Without access to the transcripts, I risk being subjected to further proceedings with potential liabilities of approximately £20,000, in addition to £15,000 in reimbursement claims related to the property—all of which are in direct contradiction to previous Family Court orders. Without the transcripts, I cannot properly defend myself against these serious and unjust claims.

The transcripts are also vital for an ongoing Solicitors Regulation Authority (SRA) investigation into potential professional misconduct by the Respondent's legal representatives. This includes allegations of false statements made to the Court, misuse of court orders, and the submission of inaccurate invoices and inflated claims for legal costs, which the Respondent is now seeking to recover from me through court proceedings.

Furthermore, I believe there was a judicial error at the hearing on 5 February 2025, where the Judge stated that I could not apply for a fact-finding hearing in family proceedings due to limitations under the Family Law Act. My understanding is that this statement is factually and legally incorrect under the Family Procedure Rules and relevant case law, as such hearings are routinely held in domestic abuse-related matters. The transcript is necessary to challenge this procedural issue and to confirm and address this error appropriately.

Without access to these transcripts, I am unable to properly defend myself or correct the misrepresentations now affecting both Family Court and Civil Court proceedings. This places me at a serious disadvantage and undermines my Article 6 right to a fair trial under the Human Rights Act 1998.

Due to the volume of falsehoods and deliberate misrepresentations in the Claimant's first statement in the CPR Part 8 TOLATA claim, I have been forced to dedicate significant time and energy gathering evidence to challenge

each of their accusations. My defence bundle now exceeds 1,000 pages, reflecting the extent of their misleading submissions. This situation is already highly unfair, as I am burdened with disproving their distortions, leaving me with no time or capacity to seek employment or regain financial stability.

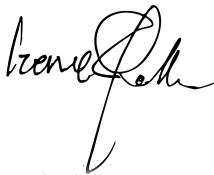
I believe this imbalance amounts to a breach of my basic rights. I should not be forced to suffer these consequences alone. If I am also denied access to the hearing transcripts, it will become unjust and unacceptable for a Litigant in Person, living on £393 per month, to have no effective means to defend herself against multiple false accusations—particularly when the opposing party is able to afford legal representation and claims to have incurred legal costs exceeding £30,000.

This unfairness is even more concerning given that the Solicitors Regulation Authority has already identified breaches of professional protocols by the law firm representing the Respondent. In light of all these factors, I find it deeply unjust that I am deemed ineligible for help with the cost of transcripts, when such assistance is a reasonable and necessary safeguard for someone in my financial and legal position.

Given the above, I kindly request that the Court reconsider the decision and allow the transcripts to be provided at public expense under the principles of access to justice and fairness for Litigants in Person.

Please let me know if any additional documentation is required in support of this request. I remain grateful for your time and consideration.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Irene Spalletti', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Irene Sara Spalletti



Edmonton County, Enquiries
to me ▾

8 May 2025, 12:50 ☆ 😊 ↩ ⋮

Dear Sir/Madam,

Your email was referred to the judge who comments as follows:

"The requirements that the costs of transcripts be paid of public expense relating to the orders dated 26/11/24 and 05/02/25 is refused. The reason set out in the email/letter dated 30/04/25 are not accepted as amounting to special circumstances. Any challenges to the orders dated 26/11/24 and 05/02/25 should be by way of an appeal, where the request that the cost of transcript to be paid of public expense can be renewed."

Request that the costs of transcripts be paid at public expense

- Part 52 Civil Procedure Rules (CPR 52.14) applies.
- This form should be fully completed and returned to the court **together with a copy of your appeal notice**.
- Wherever possible you should provide documentary proof of the information you provide. Failure to do so may delay your application.
- This form does not apply to Employment Tribunals. Use form EX107.

About the case

Case/Claim number or
Appeal number

Date of order you are
appealing/intend to appeal
and name of judge who made
the order

Date

Name of judge

What part of the proceedings
do you want to be
transcribed?

☐ Judgment only

☐ Evidence only

☐ Entire proceedings

If you have ticked Evidence
or Entire proceedings, please
give reasons for your request.

Have you obtained any
estimate of the costs of
providing a transcript from the
transcribers?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If Yes, please provide a copy
of the estimate

☐ Copy enclosed

About you

☐ Mr ☐ Mrs ☐ Miss ☐ Ms
☐ Other _____

Last name/family name
Please use BLOCK LETTERS

First name
Please use BLOCK LETTERS

Address
Please include the postcode

Contact telephone number

Relationship status

☐ Single
☐ Married/Civil Partnership
☐ Other _____

Dependants

The people who you look after financially

Give the number of children aged:

<input type="text"/>	Under 11 yrs	<input type="text"/>	16 to 17
<input type="text"/>	11 to 15	<input type="text"/>	18

Others

State who they are and why you look after them financially

Previous applications

Have you made a previous application for transcripts to be paid at public expense on this or any other matter?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please provide details including court references

Employment status

☐ Employed

☐ Unemployed

☐ Retired

If employed, please state your occupation

If you are employed, give name and address of your employer*

*You should also supply a copy of your last three wage slips and your P60

Property in which you live

☐ In your own property

☐ In rented property

☐ In lodgings

☐ In property that you own jointly with someone else

☐ Other (please explain below)

Do you or your spouse/partner have an interest in any other property?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If Yes, please provide details

About your finances

Your savings

Give total amount for each type of savings you and your partner have.

If you do not have one of the types of savings shown, put 'NIL'.

Bank account (Current)

Premium Bonds

Bank account (Deposit)

Stocks or shares (or both)

Building Society Account

(1)

National Savings Investments

(2)

Other saving (Give details)

Your usual income

Give the amount you receive each month for each type of income.

If you do not have one of the types of income shown, put 'NIL'.

Add up the amounts and put the sum in the 'Total income each month' box.

Your usual take-home pay

 a month

Child Benefit

 a month

Your partner's usual take-home pay

 a month

Other benefit or income which is

Income from other people who live with you

 a month

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Pension(s)

(1) State

 a month

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(2) Private or Occupational

 a month

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Total income each month

Your usual expenses

Give the amount you pay each month for each type of expense.

If you do not have one of the types of expense shown, put 'NIL'.

Add up the amounts and put the sum in the 'Total expenses each month' box.

Rent or Mortgage

 a month

Child care

 a month

Council Tax

 a month

Travelling expenses

 a month

Food and household essentials

 a month

Water and Sewerage charges

 a month

Maintenance and Child Support

 a month

Court fines

 a month

Electricity

 a month

Outstanding debts

 a month

Gas, coal or oil

 a month

Clothing

 a month

Telephone

 a month

Other expenses which are

TV rent and licence

 a month

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Total expenses each month

 a month

Do you have any debts?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If Yes, give name and address of creditor and approximate amount outstanding

Name	Address	Amount

Declaration

I declare that the information I have given is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I understand that:

- I will be asked to provide documents as evidence to support my statements;
- my request will not proceed if I do not provide the evidence;
- my request will be refused if I have not disclosed any relevant facts in this form.

Signature



Name (please print)

Date

For Court use only

- ☐ Application granted as requested
- ☐ Application granted in these terms:
- ☐ Transcript of evidence only
- ☐ Transcript of judgment only
- ☐ Application refused

Signed

Judge

Date