## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

## **ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2025-16**

IN RE:

## EXEMPTION OF FEES TO ACCESS PACER FOR HUANZHEN YU

FILED BY	NC	_D.C.
Mar 4, 2025		
ANGELA E. NOBLE CLERK U.S. DIST. CT. S. D. OF FLA WPB		

The United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida maintains case information online with the Public Access to Court Electronic Records (PACER) website. The Court desires to encourage the public's use of the database, continue to promote public access, and avoid unreasonable burdens on both users and court staff in retrieving data.

Huanzhen Yu, an individual researcher associated with an educational institution, falls within the class of users listed in the fee schedule as being eligible for a fee exemption. Additionally, Mr. Yu has demonstrated that an exemption is necessary to avoid unreasonable burden and to promote public access to information. Therefore, it is

**ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that Mr. Yu is exempt from the payment of fees for access via PACER to the electronic case files maintained in this Court, to the extent such use is incurred in his research into how the risk of whistleblowing affects corporate environmental behaviors, between March 4, 2025, and April 4, 2025, including dockets, charging indictments, convictions and sentencing. Mr. Yu is not exempt from the payment of fees incurred in connection with other uses of the PACER system.

Additionally, the following limitations apply:

1. this fee exemption applies only to and is valid only for the purposes stated above;

2. this fee exemption applies only to the electronic case files of the Court that are available through the PACER system;

3. by accepting this exemption, Huanzhen Yu agrees not to sell for profit any data obtained as a result of receiving this exemption;

4. Mr. Yu is prohibited from transferring any data obtained as a result of receiving this exemption, including redistribution via internet-based databases; and

5. this exemption is valid retroactively from March 4, 2025, through April 4, 2025.

This exemption may be revoked at the discretion of the Court at any time. The Clerk of

Court for the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida shall provide the

PACER Service Center with any detailed information the Center may require to implement this

Order.

DONE AND ORDERED in Miami, Florida, this 4th day of March 2025.

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CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

 c: Angela E. Noble, Court Administrator · Clerk of Court Todd McGhie, Chief Deputy Clerk · Administration PACER Service Center Michelle Gardner, Attorney Advisor, Multi-Court Exemptions, Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts