

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

MARK DUGAN, ¹	§
	§
Respondent Below,	§ No. 143, 2023
Appellant,	§
	§ Court Below—Family Court
v.	§ of the State of Delaware
	§
DIANE DUGAN,	§ File No. CN22-02010
	§ Petition No. 22-08255
Petitioner Below,	§
Appellee.	§

Submitted: June 21, 2023

Decided: July 6, 2023

ORDER

On April 28, 2023, the appellant, Mark Dugan, filed a notice of appeal from the Family Court’s order awarding child support. The Senior Court Clerk directed Dugan to pay the filing fee or file a motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* by May 15, 2023. Dugan did not pay the filing fee or file a motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*. On June 5, 2023, the Senior Court Clerk issued a notice, by certified mail, directing Dugan to show cause why this appeal should not be dismissed for his failure to pay the filing fee or file a motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*. Postal records show delivery of the notice to show cause on June 7, 2023. A timely response to the notice to show cause was due on or before June 20, 2023. To date, Dugan has not

¹ The Court previously assigned pseudonyms to the parties under Supreme Court Rule 7(d).

responded to the notice to show cause, paid the filing fee, or filed a motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*. Dismissal of this appeal is therefore deemed to be unopposed.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, under Supreme Court Rules 3(b)(2) and 29(b), that this appeal is DISMISSED.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Gary F. Traynor
Justice