

In The
Court of Appeals
Ninth District of Texas at Beaumont

NO. 09-11-00220-CV

IN RE OVEAL WALKER, III AND PAUL JONES

Original Proceeding

MEMORANDUM OPINION

Oveal Walker, III and Paul Jones filed a petition for writ of mandamus to compel the trial court to vacate an order authorizing their pre-suit depositions. *See* Tex. R. App. P. 52; *see also* Tex. R. Civ. P. 202. The real party in interest, Beaumonters Embracing Transition Toward Election Reform (“B.E.T.T.E.R.”), subsequently non-suited its petition requesting depositions to investigate a potential claim or suit. *See* Tex. R. Civ. P. 162. Because events that occurred after the filing of the petition have rendered this proceeding moot, we dismiss the petition for writ of mandamus without addressing the merits of the petition.

PETITION DISMISSED.

PER CURIAM

Opinion Delivered July 28, 2011
Before Gaultney, Kreger, and Horton, JJ.