

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

CHRISTOPHER SCHMID,	§
	§
Respondent Below-	§ No. 582, 2000
Appellant,	§
	§
v.	§ Court Below—Family Court
	§ of the State of Delaware,
DCSE/OLIVIA GRAY,	§ in and for New Castle County
	§ File No. CN98-07281
Petitioner Below-	§
Appellee.	§

Submitted: June 18, 2001  
Decided: June 22, 2001

**ORDER**

This 22<sup>nd</sup> day of June 2001, it appears that the Clerk of the Court issued a notice to the appellant to show cause why this appeal should not be dismissed for his failure to file his opening brief. The appellee also has filed a motion to dismiss the appeal because of the appellant's failure to prosecute the appeal diligently. The appellant has not responded to the notice to show cause or the motion to dismiss. Dismissal of this action, therefore, is deemed to be unopposed. Supr. Ct. R. 29(b).

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the within appeal is DISMISSED.

BY THE COURT:

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Justice