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NO. CAAP-13-0003940

IN THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS

OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

STATE OF HAWAI'I, Plaintiff-Appellee, v. BYRD LAJAR, Defendant-Appellant

APPEAL FROM THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIRST CIRCUIT (CASE NO. 1DTA-13-00687)

ORDER GRANTING THE JULY 15, 2014 MOTION TO DISMISS APPEAL (By: Nakamura, C.J., Fujise and Reifurth, JJ.)

Upon consideration of the "Motion to Dismiss Appeal" (Motion to Dismiss), filed on July 15, 2014 by James B. Lewis (Counsel), counsel for Defendant-Appellant Byrd Lajar (Appellant), the papers in support and the record, and noting no opposition, it appears that (1) Appellant expressed to Counsel at a May 14, 2014 sentencing hearing that Appellant wished to dismiss the appeal; (2) since May 14, 2014, Counsel has been unable to locate Appellant for the purpose of filing the instant Motion to Dismiss; and (3) Counsel has attached to the Motion to Dismiss a Declaration setting forth the circumstances of his diligent efforts to locate Appellant since May 14, 2014, pursuant to Hawai'i Rules of Appellate Procedure Rule 42(c).

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Therefore, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the motion is granted, and the appeal is dismissed.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai'i, August 5, 2014.

Chief Judge

Associate Jud

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