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In The

Court of Appeals

For The

First District of Texas

NO. 01-12-00860-CR

IN RE DENNIS LEN LIVINGS, Relator

Original Proceeding on Petition for Writ of Mandamus

MEMORANDUM OPINION

Relator, Dennis Len Livings, has filed a pro se petition for writ of mandamus in this Court. *See* TEX. GOV'T CODE § 22.221 (Vernon 2004); *see also* TEX. R. APP. P. 52. Relator complains that the trial court¹ has failed to rule on

Relator provides information indicating that this original proceeding arises out of Cause No. 1035169-A, styled *Ex Parte Dennis Len Livings*, 174th District Court,

motions relator has filed in aid of his post-conviction writ of habeas corpus.

This Court, as an intermediate appellate court, has no jurisdiction over post-conviction writs of habeas corpus in felony cases. See Tex. Code Crim. Proc. Ann. art. 11.05, art. 11.07, § 3(a), (b) (Vernon 2005 & Vernon Supp. 2012); In re McAfee, 53 S.W.3d 715, 717 (Tex. App.—Houston [1st Dist.] 2001, orig. proceeding) (noting that "only the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals has jurisdiction in final post-conviction felony proceedings"). Thus, we also lack jurisdiction to grant mandamus relief in matters related to a post-conviction writ application. See In re McAfee, 53 S.W.3d at 717–18; see also In re Perryman, No 04–11–00300–CR, 2011 WL 2165145, at *1 (Tex. App.—San Antonio May 25, 2011, orig. proceeding) (mem. op.; not designated for pub.) (dismissing petition for writ of mandamus in case in which relator complained that trial court failed to rule on motions related to a post-conviction petition for writ of habeas corpus).

Harris County. Relator identifies the Honorable Ruben Guerrrero as the respondent in this original mandamus proceeding.

Relator was convicted of the felony offense of aggravated sexual assault of a child and sentenced to a mandatory life sentence as a repeat sex offender. We affirmed relator's conviction in *Livings v. State*, No. 01–06–00146–CR, 2007 WL 1500300, at *7 (Tex. App.—Houston [1st Dist.] May 24, 2007, pet. ref'd) (mem. op.; not designated for pub.).

We dismiss the petition for writ of mandamus for lack of jurisdiction. *See* TEX. R. APP. P. 52.8(a).

PER CURIAM

Panel consists of Justices Jennings, Higley, and Sharp.

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