

Opinion issued February 22, 2018



In The
Court of Appeals
For The
First District of Texas

NO. 01-14-00349-CV

**IN RE R. HASSELL & COMPANY, INC., R. HASSELL BUILDERS, INC.,
R. HASSELL HOLDING COMPANY, INC., AND G.R. GROUP
RESOURCES, L.L.C., Relators**

Original Proceeding on Petition for Writ of Mandamus

MEMORANDUM OPINION

Relators, R. Hassell & Company, Inc., R. Hassell Builders, Inc., R. Hassell Holding Company, Inc., and G.R. Group Resources, L.L.C., have filed a petition for a writ of mandamus, challenging orders referring the matter to arbitration and denying their motion for reconsideration of the order compelling arbitration.¹ After

¹ The underlying case is *R. Hassell & Co., Inc. R. Hassell Builders, Inc., R. Hassell Holding Co., Inc., and G.R. Group Resources LLP v. Hassell Construction Co., Inc.*

filing their petition, relators filed a “Suggestion of Bankruptcy and Notice of Automatic Stay,” staying proceedings in this Court. *See* 11 U.S.C.A. § 362(a) (West 2015) (providing filed bankruptcy petition operates as automatic stay of actions against debtor or debtor’s property); *see also* TEX. R. APP. P. 8.2 (providing bankruptcy suspends appeal). Relators, representing “that the related bankruptcy cases have been dismissed,” have filed a motion to reinstate the proceeding and voluntarily dismiss their petition. *See* TEX. R. APP. P. 8.3(a). No opinion has issued. *See id.* 42.1(c). Further, more than ten days have passed and no party has responded to relators’ motion. *See id.* 10.3(a).

Accordingly, we reinstate the petition, grant relators’ motion, and dismiss the petition.

PER CURIAM

Panel consists of Justices Bland, Lloyd, and Caughey.

and Hassell Management Services, LLC, Cause No. 2013-61995, in the 125th District Court of Harris County, Texas, the Honorable Kyle Carter presiding.