

Opinion issued June 14, 2022



In The
Court of Appeals
For The
First District of Texas

NO. 01-22-00301-CV

EGBERT LAURENT, Appellant

V.

**RASHEAD BROUSSARD, TAMARA HILL, ANTHONY PARTIDA, AND
EXQUISITE PROFESSIONAL SERVICES, LLC, Appellees**

**On Appeal from the 281st District Court
Harris County, Texas
Trial Court Case No. 2021-02778**

MEMORANDUM OPINION

Appellant, Egbert Laurent, appealed from the trial court’s March 16, 2022 “Final Order of Non-Suit.” On June 2, 2022, appellant filed a motion to dismiss the appeal, stating that he “no longer wishe[d] to pursue th[e] appeal,” and requesting

that the Court dismiss the appeal. Appellant’s motion further “ask[ed] that costs be assessed against the party incurring them.”

Appellant’s motion does not include a certificate of conference stating that appellant conferred, or made a reasonable effort to confer, with appellees, Rashead Broussard, Tamara Hill, Anthony Partida, and Exquisite Professional Services, LLC, regarding the relief requested in appellant’s motion. *See* TEX. R. APP. P. 10.1(a)(5). However, more than ten days have passed, and no party has expressed opposition to appellant’s motion. *See* TEX. R. APP. P. 10.3(a). No other party has filed a notice of appeal, and no opinion has issued. *See* TEX. R. APP. P. 42.1(a)(1), (c).

Accordingly, we grant appellant’s motion, in part, and dismiss the appeal. *See* TEX. R. APP. P. 42.1(a)(1), 43.2(f). Because appellant’s motion does not state that there was an agreement between the parties regarding the assessment of costs, appellant’s request that “costs be assessed against the party incurring them” is denied. *See* TEX. R. APP. P. 42.1(d) (“Absent agreement of the parties, the court will tax costs against the appellant.”). We dismiss all other pending motions as moot.

PER CURIAM

Panel consists of Justices Landau, Guerra, and Farris.