



**Fourth Court of Appeals**  
**San Antonio, Texas**

**MEMORANDUM OPINION**

No. 04-17-00734-CR

**EX PARTE** Jacob Howard **WISEMAN**

Original Habeas Corpus Proceeding<sup>1</sup>

PER CURIAM

Sitting: Karen Angelini, Justice  
Marialyn Barnard, Justice  
Luz Elena D. Chapa, Justice

Delivered and Filed: November 22, 2017

PETITION FOR WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS DISMISSED FOR LACK OF JURISDICTION

On November 8, 2017, relator filed a pro se petition for writ of habeas corpus seeking relief from his confinement based on an indictment charging him with unauthorized use of a motor vehicle. This court has no original habeas corpus jurisdiction in criminal matters. *In re Ayers*, 515 S.W.3d 356, 356 (Tex. App.—Houston [14th Dist.] 2016, original proceeding); *Dodson v. State*, 988 S.W.2d 833, 835 (Tex. App.—San Antonio 1999, no pet.). Original jurisdiction to issue writs of habeas corpus in criminal matters is vested in the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, district courts, and county courts. *See* TEX. CODE CRIM. PROC. ANN. art. 11.05 (West 2015). Therefore, relator’s petition for writ of habeas corpus is dismissed for lack of jurisdiction.

PER CURIAM

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<sup>1</sup> This proceeding arises out of Cause No. 2017CR8122, styled *The State of Texas v. Jacob Howard Wiseman*, pending in the 290th Judicial District Court, Bexar County, Texas, the Honorable Melisa Skinner presiding.