In The

Court of Appeals

Ninth District of Texas at Beaumont

NO. 09-15-00428-CV

IN THE INTEREST OF D.A.R. AND D.D.R.

On Appeal from the County Court at Law No. 3 Montgomery County, Texas Trial Cause No. 13-08-08579-CV

MEMORANDUM OPINION

On November 20, 2015, we notified the parties that the appeal would be dismissed for want of prosecution unless arrangements were made for the filing of the record or the appellant explained why additional time was needed to file the record. Additionally, the cost bill for the filing fee for the appeal issued on September 4, 2015, but the filing fee for the appeal has not been paid.

An appellant who wishes to proceed on appeal without payment of costs must file an affidavit of indigence. *See* Tex. R. App. P. 20.1. An appeal may be dismissed if the appellant fails to comply with a requirement of the Texas Rules of

Appellate Procedure, or fails to respond to a notice from the Clerk of the Court requiring a response or other action within a specified time. *See* Tex. R. App. P. 42.3(c).

Appellant did not file an affidavit of indigence on appeal and has not shown that she is entitled to proceed without payment of costs. *See generally* Tex. R. App. P. 20.1. Appellant failed to comply with notices that required a response. *See* Tex. R. App. P. 42.3(c). We dismiss the appeal for want of prosecution. *See* Tex. R. App. P. 42.3.

APPEAL DISMISSED.

HOLLIS HORTON
Justice

Submitted on January 13, 2016 Opinion Delivered January 14, 2016

Before McKeithen, C.J., Horton and Johnson, JJ.