

In The
Court of Appeals
Ninth District of Texas at Beaumont

NO. 09-17-00139-CR

JERRY SHANE MERRITT, Appellant

V.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, Appellee

On Appeal from the 75th District Court
Liberty County, Texas
Trial Cause No. CR31581 (Count 1)

MEMORANDUM OPINION

Jerry Shane Merritt filed a notice of appeal on April 27, 2017. The trial court certified that this is a plea-bargain case and the defendant has no right of appeal. *See* Tex. R. App. P. 25.2(a)(2). The district clerk has provided the trial court's certification to the Court of Appeals. On April 28, 2017, we notified the parties that we would dismiss the appeal unless the appellant established grounds for continuing the appeal. No response has been filed. Because the trial court's certification shows

the defendant does not have the right of appeal, we must dismiss the appeal. *See* Tex.

R. App. P. 25.2(d). Accordingly, we dismiss the appeal.

APPEAL DISMISSED.

STEVE McKEITHEN
Chief Justice

Submitted on May 23, 2017
Opinion Delivered May 24, 2017
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Before McKeithen, C.J., Kreger and Horton, JJ.