### In The

# Court of Appeals

## Ninth District of Texas at Beaumont

NO. 09-22-00234-CR NO. 09-22-00235-CR

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#### EX PARTE FABBIAN DONTASCOTT

Original Proceeding Criminal District Court of Jefferson County, Texas Trial Cause Nos. 21-36748 and 21-36749

#### MEMORANDUM OPINION

Fabbian Donta Scott filed two original applications seeking a writ of habeas corpus, and he asked that this Court conduct an evidentiary hearing into the lawfulness of his pre-trial confinement in two pending cases. In cases that arise from a criminal court that resulted from the defendant's indictment, the intermediate appellate courts lack original habeas corpus jurisdiction and do not possess the power to issue writs of

habeas corpus. Accordingly, we dismiss the petitions without reference to their merits.

#### PETITIONS DISMISSED.

PER CURIAM

Submitted on August 30, 2022 Opinion Delivered August 31, 2022 Do Not Publish

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

 $<sup>^1</sup>Ex\ parte\ Hawkins$ , 885 S.W.2d 586, 588–89 (Tex. App.—El Paso 1994, orig. proceeding); Tex. Code Crim. Proc. Ann. art. 11.05.