

**TEXAS COURT OF APPEALS, THIRD DISTRICT, AT AUSTIN**

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**NO. 03-04-00344-CR**

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**Patrick Anthony Russo, Appellant**

**v.**

**The State of Texas, Appellee**

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**FROM THE DISTRICT COURT OF TRAVIS COUNTY, 390TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
NO. 9034220, HONORABLE JULIE H. KOCUREK, JUDGE PRESIDING**

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**MEMORANDUM OPINION**

The motion to withdraw filed by appellant's appointed counsel on appeal, Mr. Gary Taylor, is granted.<sup>1</sup> The appeal is abated for the district court to immediately appoint substitute counsel. A copy of the order appointing substitute counsel shall be forwarded to this Court no later than August 5, 2005.

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Bob Pemberton, Justice

Before Justices B. A. Smith, Puryear and Pemberton

Filed: July 29, 2005

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<sup>1</sup> Counsel has been employed as a federal public defender in Nevada effective August 1, 2005. Counsel previously filed a brief on appellant's behalf.