NO. 12-12-00046-CV

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

TWELFTH COURT OF APPEALS DISTRICT

TYLER, TEXAS

IN THE INTEREST	Ş	APPEAL FROM THE 321ST
OF K.C.M.,	§	JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
A CHILD	§	SMITH COUNTY, TEXAS

MEMORANDUM OPINION PER CURIAM

This appeal is being dismissed because Appellant has failed to comply with the Texas Rules of Appellate Procedure. *See* TEX. R. APP. P. 42.3. Pursuant to Rule 32.1, Appellant's docketing statement was due to have been filed at the time the appeal was perfected, i.e., January 4, 2012. *See* TEX. R. APP. P. 32.1. Because Appellant did not file his docketing statement at that time, this court requested by letter dated January 27, 2012, that he file his docketing statement within ten days if he had not already done so. Appellant did not file the docketing statement as requested.

In a second notice dated February 16, 2012, the court advised Appellant that the filing fee was due to have been paid on or before February 6, 2012, but had not been received, and that the docketing statement was past due. The notice further provided that unless the filing fee was paid and the docketing statement filed on or before February 27, 2012, the appeal would be presented for dismissal in accordance with Texas Rule of Appellate Procedure 42.3. *See* Tex. R. App. P. 5, 32.1. The February 27 deadline has passed, and Appellant has not complied with the court's request. Because Appellant has failed, after notice, to comply with Rules 5 and 32.1, the appeal is *dismissed*. *See* Tex. R. App. P. 42.3(c).

Opinion delivered March 7, 2012. Panel consisted of Worthen, C.J., Griffith, J., and Hoyle, J. (PUBLISH)



COURT OF APPEALS TWELFTH COURT OF APPEALS DISTRICT OF TEXAS JUDGMENT

MARCH 7, 2012

NO. 12-12-00046-CV

IN THE INTEREST OF K.C.M., A CHILD

Appeal from the 321st Judicial District Court of Smith County, Texas. (Tr.Ct.No. 11-3407-D)

THIS CAUSE came to be heard on the appellate record; and the same being considered, it is the opinion of this court the appeal should be dismissed.

It is therefore ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED by this court that this appeal be, and the same is, hereby **dismissed**; and that this decision be certified to the court below for observance.

By per curiam opinion.

Panel consisted of Worthen, C.J., Griffith, J., and Hoyle, J.

THE STATE OF TEXAS MANDATE

TO THE 321ST DISTRICT COURT of SMITH COUNTY, GREETING:

Before our Court of Appeals for the 12th Court of Appeals District of Texas, on the 7th day of March, 2012, the cause upon appeal to revise or reverse your judgment between

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NO. 12-12-00046-CV; Trial Court No. 1-3407-D

By per curiam opinion.

was determined; and therein our said Court made its order in these words:

"THIS CAUSE came to be heard on the appellate record; and the same being considered, it is the opinion of this court the appeal should be dismissed.

It is therefore ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED by this court that this appeal be, and the same is, hereby dismissed; and that this decision be certified to the court below for observance."

WHEREAS, WE COMMAND YOU to observe the order of our said Court of Appeals for the Twelfth Court of Appeals District of Texas in this behalf, and in all things have it duly recognized, obeyed, and executed.

		LE JAMES T. WORTHEN, Chief Justice of our Coupeals District, with the Seal thereof affixed, at the City	
Tyler, this the	day of	, 201	
	CATHY S. LUSK	, CLERK	
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