

COURT OF APPEALS OF TEXAS, THIRD DISTRICT, AT AUSTIN

Jerry Alexander v. The State of Texas

Nos. 03-15-00133-CR, 03-15-00134-CR, and 03-15-00135-CR · No. Nos. 03-15-00133-CR, 03-15-00134-CR, and 03-15-00135-CR · Decided April 3, 2015

SUMMARY

The Texas Court of Appeals, Third District, dismissed three criminal appeals by Jerry Alexander for want of jurisdiction. The court stated that appellant was indigent and unable to pay costs, so no adjudication of costs was made.

CASE DETAILS

COURT	Court of Appeals of Texas, Third District, at Austin
WRITING FOR THE COURT	Justice Field; Chief Justice Rose; Justice Goodwin
JURISDICTION	Texas
DECIDED	April 3, 2015
DOCKET	Nos. 03-15-00133-CR, 03-15-00134-CR, and 03-15-00135-CR
DISPOSITION	dismissed
PROCEDURAL POSTURE	Appeal from judgments of conviction entered by the 403rd District Court of Travis County.
PRECEDENTIAL VALUE	Published
PARTIES	Jerry Alexander v. The State of Texas

TOPICS

- appellate jurisdiction
- appellate procedure
- criminal procedure

PRACTICE AREAS

- Criminal appellate procedure
- Appellate jurisdiction

QUESTIONS PRESENTED

- Whether the Court of Appeals had jurisdiction over the appeals from the trial court's judgments of conviction.

HOLDINGS

1. Because the Court of Appeals lacked jurisdiction over the appeals, the appeals had to be dismissed for want of jurisdiction.

KEY QUOTATIONS

“Having reviewed the record, it appears that the Court lacks jurisdiction over this appeal. Therefore, the Court dismisses the appeal for want of jurisdiction.”

FACTUAL BACKGROUND

The opinion identifies the matters as appeals from judgments of conviction entered by the trial court. The appellate record showed that the court of appeals lacked jurisdiction over the appeals.

PROCEDURAL HISTORY

Jerry Alexander appealed judgments of conviction from the 403rd District Court of Travis County in three criminal appellate cause numbers. The Third District Court of Appeals determined that it lacked jurisdiction and dismissed each appeal for want of jurisdiction, making no adjudication of costs because Alexander was indigent.

DISPOSITION

dismissed

OPINION

PER CURIAM.

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