

COURT OF APPEALS OF TEXAS, FOURTEENTH DISTRICT

Christopher Troy Bushlow v. Kimberly Trickett Bushlow

No. 14-22-00521-CV · No. No. 14-22-00521-CV · Decided August 11, 2022

SUMMARY

The Fourteenth Court of Appeals ordered the Tarrant County District Clerk and the court reporter to prepare and file, without charge, the record of proceedings concerning Christopher Troy Bushlow's claim of indigence and request for a free reporter's record on appeal. The court set deadlines of August 25, 2022, for filing the record and September 1, 2022, for any response to Bushlow's motion.

CASE DETAILS

COURT	Court of Appeals of Texas, Fourteenth District
WRITING FOR THE COURT	Justice Spain; Justice Poissant; Justice Wilson
JURISDICTION	Texas
DECIDED	August 11, 2022
DOCKET	No. 14-22-00521-CV
DISPOSITION	other
PROCEDURAL POSTURE	Appellant challenged the trial court's denial of his request for a free reporter's record on appeal and sought review of the ruling on his claim of indigence.
PRECEDENTIAL VALUE	Published order; no reporter citation appears in the source text.
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QUESTIONS PRESENTED

1. Whether the court of appeals should order preparation of the trial-court record concerning appellant's claim of indigence after the trial court denied his request for a free reporter's record.

HOLDINGS

1. Pursuant to Texas Rule of Civil Procedure 145(g)(3), the trial court clerk and court reporter must prepare and file with the court of appeals the record of all trial-court proceedings concerning appellant's claim of indigence without charge.

FACTUAL BACKGROUND

Christopher Troy Bushlow claimed indigence and requested a reporter's record without charge for his appeal. The 231st District Court denied that request, prompting Bushlow to file a motion challenging the denial in the Fourteenth Court of Appeals.

PROCEDURAL HISTORY

The appeal arose from the 231st District Court of Tarrant County, Texas, trial court cause number 231-633972-18. After the trial court denied appellant's request for a free reporter's record, appellant filed a motion in the court of appeals challenging that denial. The court of appeals ordered preparation and filing of the record concerning appellant's claim of indigence and requested a response to the motion.

DISPOSITION

other

REMAND INSTRUCTIONS

The Tarrant County District Clerk and the court reporter for the 231st District Court were ordered to prepare and file the record of all trial-court proceedings on appellant's claim of indigence without charge by August 25, 2022. Any response to appellant's motion challenging the trial court's ruling was due by September 1, 2022.