

COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT OF TEXAS

Robert L. Griffin v. Alycia Renae Cruz

No. 01-25-00657-CV · No. 01-25-00657-CV · Decided January 29, 2026

SUMMARY

The Texas Court of Appeals for the First District dismissed Robert L. Griffin's appeal from a protective order because he failed to pay the appellate filing fee and clerk's-record fee or establish indigence. The court also dismissed pending motions as moot.

OPINION

PER CURIAM.

Opinion issued January 29, 2026 In The Court of Appeals For The First District of Texas NO. 01-25-00657-CV ROBERT L. GRIFFIN, Appellant V. ALYCIA RENAE CRUZ, Appellee On Appeal from the 461st District Court Brazoria County, Texas Trial Court Case No. 135012-F MEMORANDUM OPINION This is an appeal from a protective order signed July 22, 2025. Appellant has not paid for the clerk's record or the required filing fee and has not established indigence for purposes of appellate costs.

See TEX. R. APP. P. 5, 20.1 (indigence), 37.3(b) (allowing dismissal of appeal if no clerk's record filed due to appellant's fault); see also TEX. GOV'T CODE §§ 51.207, 51.208, 51.851(b), 51.941(a); Order Regarding Fees Charged in the Supreme Court, in Civil Cases in the Courts of Appeals, and Before the Judicial Panel on Multi-District Litigation, and in the Business Court, Misc.

Docket No. 24-9047 (Tex. July 26, 2024), reprinted in TEX. R. APP. P. app. A. § B(1) (listing fees in courts of appeals). Appellant failed to respond to our notices of September 22, 2025 (non-payment for the filing fee) and September 25, 2025 (non-payment for clerk's record), which advised appellant that, should he not pay the fee for the clerk's record or the filing fee or establish indigence, this appeal was subject to dismissal.

See TEX. R. APP. P. 5 (allowing enforcement of rule), 37.3(b) (allowing dismissal of appeal if no clerk's record filed due to appellant's fault), 42.3(c) (allowing involuntary dismissal of case). Appellant has not responded to this Court's notices.

We dismiss the appeal. See TEX. R. APP. P. 42.3, 43.2(f). We dismiss any pending motions as moot. PER CURIAM Panel consists of Justices Guerra, Caughey, and Dokupil. 2

