

Dismissed and Opinion filed January 4, 2001.



In The

Fourteenth Court of Appeals

NO. 14-98-01230-CR

BYRON KEITH HOUSE, Appellant

V.

THE STATE OF TEXAS , Appellee

**On Appeal from the 185th District Court
Harris County, Texas
Trial Court Cause No. 782,317**

OPINION

Byron Keith House pleaded guilty to injury of a child. In a single point of error he contends the trial court erred by refusing to hold a hearing on his motion for new trial. We dismiss the appeal for want of jurisdiction.

The State contends we lack jurisdiction to consider House's guilty plea, since he filed a general notice of appeal and did not obtain the trial court's permission to appeal. *See* TEX. R. APP. P. 25.2(b)(3). We agree with the State that we do not have jurisdiction to consider the point of error which appellant seeks to raise in this appeal. *See also Young v. State*, 8 S.W.3d 656, 667 (Tex. Crim. App. 2000).

We therefore dismiss this appeal for want of jurisdiction.

/s/ D. Camille Hutson-Dunn
Justice

Judgment rendered and Opinion filed January 4, 2001.

Panel consists of Justices Sears, Cannon and Hutson-Dunn.*

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* Senior Justices Ross A. Sears, Bill Cannon and D. Camille Hutson-Dunn sitting by assignment.