## Appeal Dismissed and Memorandum Opinion filed July 7, 2020.



In The

Fourteenth Court of Appeals

NO. 14-20-00170-CV

TONYA M. LANCE, Appellant

V.

DONYEA D. BARFIELD, Appellee

On Appeal from the 257th District Court Harris County, Texas Trial Court Cause No. 2005-33662

## **MEMORANDUM OPINION**

This is an appeal from a judgment signed February 10, 2020. The notice of appeal was filed February 26, 2020. Our records show appellant has not paid the appellate filing fee, and no evidence that appellant is excused by statute or the Texas Rules of Appellate Procedure from paying costs has been filed. See Tex. R. App. P. 5 (requiring payment of fees in civil cases unless party is excused by statute or by appellate rules from paying costs); Tex. Gov't Code § 51.207. On March 14, 2020, this court ordered appellants to pay the appellate filing fee by April 24, 2020, or the

appeal would be dismissed. The filing fee has not been paid.

Accordingly, the appeal is DISMISSED. *See* Tex. R. App. P. 42.3(c) (allowing involuntary dismissal of case because appellant failed to comply with notice from clerk requiring response or other action within specified time).

## PER CURIAM

Panel consists of Chief Justice Frost and Justices Zimmerer and Poissant.