COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE
FIRST DISTRICT OF TEXAS AT HOUSTON

ORDER

Appellate case name:	Juan Rubalcava v. Firmus Management & Construction d/b/a Ironhouse Flats
Appellate case number:	01-20-00069-CV
Trial court case number:	C-1-CV-19-008735
Trial court:	County Civil Court at Law No. 1 of Travis County

Appellant, Juan Rubalcava, has filed a notice of appeal of the trial court's final judgment signed on December 3, 2019. The clerk's record filed in this Court includes appellant's "Statement of Inability to Afford Payment of Court Costs or an Appeal Bond" filed in the trial court proceedings. *See* TEX. R. CIV. P. 145(a), (b), (c), 510.9(c). The clerk's record[1] does not reflect that any motion to require appellant to pay costs or any contest to appellant's statement was filed. *See id.* 145(f), 510.9(c)(2). Accordingly, appellant is allowed to proceed on appeal without payment of costs. *See* TEX. R. CIV. P. 145(a), (c); TEX. R. APP. P. 20.1.

The court reporter notified the Clerk of this Court that there is a reporter's record and that appellant has not paid, or made arrangements to pay, for preparation of the reporter's record. On April 16, 2020, this Court directed the court reporter "**to prepare and file with this Court a reporter's record at no cost to appellant."** *See* TEX. R. CIV. P. 145(a), (c); TEX. R. APP. P. 35.3(b), (c). The notice advised that the reporter's record was due to be filed May 18, 2020. TEX. R. APP. P. 35.1, 35.3(c). As of the date of this order, the reporter's record has yet to be filed.

The court reporter is directed, again, to prepare and file with this Court a reporter's record at no cost to appellant. *See* TEX. R. CIV. P. 145(a), (c); TEX. R. APP. P. 35.3(b), (c). **The reporter's record is due to be filed no later than 30 days from the date of this order.** *See* TEX. R. APP. P. 35.1, 35.3(c).

It is so ORDERED.

Judge's signature: /s/ Julie Countiss
Acting individually

Date: July 9, 2020

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[1] The clerk's record was filed on January 23, 2020.