Commonwealth of Kentucky

Court of Appeals

NO. 2026-CA-0796-ME

J.B.S. APPELLANT

v. APPEAL FROM JEFFERSON FAMILY COURT
HONORABLE ANGELA JOHNSON, JUDGE
ACTION NO. 11-J-500687

L.M.B. AND I.S., A MINOR CHILD APPELLEES

AND

NO. 2026-CA-0797-ME

J.B.S. APPELLANT

v. APPEAL FROM JEFFERSON FAMILY COURT
HONORABLE ANGELA JOHNSON, JUDGE
ACTION NO. 17-J-503080

L.M.B. AND C.W., A MINOR CHILD APPELLEES

ORDER

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BEFORE: ACREE, CALDWELL, AND L. JONES, JUDGES.

These actions are before the Court because Appellant failed to file briefs timely pursuant to RAP[1] 30(E)(1).

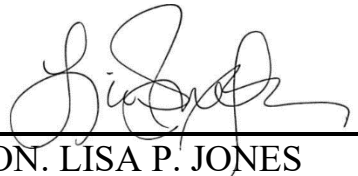
[1] Kentucky Rules of Appellate Procedure.

Appellant's briefs were originally due to be filed by August 19, 2026. No brief was filed. The Court sent notices to Appellant on August 24, 2026, that his briefs were overdue. Therein, Appellant was given twenty days to file motions for additional time and to tender his briefs. He was also informed that "[f]ailure to act within twenty (20) days may result in an order dismissing the appeal[s.]" Appellant has not filed briefs, nor has he filed any motion for additional time.

Pursuant to RAP 31(H)(2), "[i]f the appellant's brief has not been filed within the time allowed, the appeal may be dismissed." *See also Milby v. Mears*, 580 S.W.2d 724, 727 (Ky. App. 1979) ("It is an established principle of law in Kentucky that an appeal may be dismissed when the appellant fails to file a brief in support of his position.").

Having reviewed the record and being otherwise sufficiently advised; IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the above-styled appeal shall be, and hereby is, DISMISSED because Appellant has failed to follow the Court's directive and has failed to file a brief.

ENTERED: 11/16/2026



HON. LISA P. JONES
JUDGE, COURT OF APPEALS