BEFORE THE BOARD OF DISCIPLINARY APPEALS Appointed By THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

DELL EDWARD JAMES	§	
	§	
v.	§	CAUSE NO. 45870
	§	
COMMISSION FOR	Š	
LAWYER DISCIPLINE OF THE	8	
STATE BAR OF TEXAS	8	

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL FOR WANT OF JURISDICTION

On this day came on to be heard the Board of Disciplinary Appeals' own motion to dismiss the above appeal filed by Dell Edward James for want of jurisdiction. After reviewing the papers filed in the matter, the Board finds that the Appellant filed the notice of appeal of the judgment of disbarment in Cause no. D0120631179 on January 5, 2010. At the time of the appeal, James was disbarred in another matter, Commission for Lawyer Discipline v. Dell Edward James, Cause No. 416-04033-07 in 416th District Court of Collin County, Texas and that judgment was on appeal to the Court of Appeals for the Fifth District of Texas at Dallas in the matter styled, Dell Edward James v. Commission for Lawyer Discipline, No. 05-08-01553-CV. On April 5, 2010, the Court of Appeals affirmed the order of disbarment and on June 21, 2010 the Court issued its mandate. The disbarment is final and the Board of Disciplinary no longer has jurisdiction over this appeal.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that this appeal is hereby DISMISSED for want of jurisdiction with prejudice to refile.

SIGNED this day of July 2010.

CHAIRMAN PRESIDING