## IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE CONFEDERATED SALISH AND KOOTENAI TRIBES OF THE FLATHEAD INDIAN RESERVATION

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF	)	CAUSE NO. AP-13-193-P
CALVIN MATT,	)	ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL
Deceased.	)	

Genevieve Huitt appeals the lower court's final order dated March 18, 2015. Such appeals are governed by the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Law and Order Code (2013). Several deadlines, as dictated by the CSKT Rules of Appellate Procedure, must be met in order for this Court to be able to hear a case.

Rule 1. Notice of Appeal. (1) An appeal shall be taken by filing a notice of appeal with the Appellate Administrator, with a copy to the Clerk of the Tribal Court within 20 days of the date of the final judgment or order of the trial court. Failure of an appellant to timely file a notice of appeal is ground for dismissal of the appeal.

Appellant filed a Notice of Appeal on April 22, 2015. On April 29, 2015, the Appellee, through her attorney, filed a Motion to Dismiss based on the Appellant's failure to file a timely Notice of Appeal. No response was filed by the Appellant with regard to that Motion.

The Appellant failed to file a timely Notice of Appeal. Failure to file on time is grounds for the dismissal of this appeal.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the case before this Court is DISMISSED.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 10th OF JUNE, 2015.

ELDENA BEAR DONT WALK

Chief Justice

Cc: Genevive Huit, Appellant Philip Grainey, Attorney fo

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

## **Certificate of Mailing**

I, Abigail Dupuis, Appellate Court Administrator, do hereby certify that I mailed a true and correct copy of the Order Dismissing Appeal to the persons first named therein at the addresses shown below by depositing same in the U.S. Mail, postage prepaid at Pablo, Montana, or through tribal interoffice mail this 10th day of June, 2015.

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