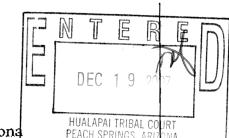
Hualapai Tribal Court of Appeals

Hualapai Reservation, Peach Springs, Arizona



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Presley Gene,

Case No.: 2007-AP-010

Appellant/Defendant,

ORDER

vs.

The Hualapai Tribe,

Appellee/Plaintiff.

The Court, having reviewed the documents filed in this appeal, finds that the Appellant has failed to perfect his appeal. Thus the Court dismisses the matter and returns the case to the Trial Court for execution of the sentence.

## DISCUSSION

The Hualapai Tribe has adopted specific rules governing appellate procedure in Section 10 of the Hualapai Law and Order Code. Section 10.5(A) specifically outlines what must be included in any Notice of Appeal. Section 10.5(A)(3) requires a "concise statement of the adverse ruling or alleged errors made by the court." Section 10.5(A)(4) requires the Appellant to also include "[t]he nature of the relief being sought; and". Section 10.4(A)(5) requires, "[a] concise statement of the ground for reversal or modification." The purpose of the requirement is to give the parties, including the Appellate Court notice as to what the issues on appeal are. Here, Appellant failed to fully comply with the specific requirements of Section 10.5 of the Hualapai Law and Order Code. Appellant merely indicates that he wishes to appeal but doesn't otherwise comply with Section 10.5 of the Hualapai Law and Order Code.

In addition, Appellant could have perfected his appeal by submitting a Notice of Appeal meeting the requirements of Section 10.5 if he had submitted an amended or corrected Notice of

l Appeal with the required information within the requirements of Section 10.4(A)(1), or five (5) days after the date the action appealed. Again, Appellant failed to do so. At this point, his appeal cannot be perfected and must fail. CONCLUSION Appellant failed to perfect his appeal, thus the appeal is dismissed and the case returned to the trial court for execution of the sentence. SO ORDERED this Hay of December, 2007. Hualapai Tribal Court of Appeals U