Court of Appeals, State of Michigan

ORDER

George Fraki v Dennis Fraki

Peter D. O'Connell Presiding Judge

Docket No.

311304

Donald S. Owens

LC No.

2010-014694-CH

Michael J. Kelly

Judges

The Court orders that the motion to dismiss for lack of jurisdiction is DENIED because appellee has not established that this Court lacks jurisdiction over the claim of appeal in whole or in part. Contrary to the premise of the motion to dismiss, this Court's jurisdiction over an appeal of right is not determined in whole or in part by the issues raised on appeal by an appellant. Rather, this Court is vested with jurisdiction over an appeal of right by the timely filing of a claim of appeal and provision of an entry fee. MCR 7.204(B). Accordingly, whether this Court has jurisdiction over a claim of appeal is determined by whether it was filed from an order that is appealable of right to this Court, MCR 7.203(A), and whether it was timely filed, MCR 7.204(A). An assertion by an appellee that issues raised on appeal are outside the proper scope of an appeal of right is properly presented by the appellee as part of its argument with regard to the proper disposition of the appeal, not as a ground for seeking to dismiss an appeal of right.



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