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FORT PECK COURT OF APPEALS
ASSINIBOINE AND SIOUX TRIBES
FORT PECK INDIAN RESERVATION
POPLAR, MONTANA

Timothy Todd, Appellant v. Fort Peck Tribes, Appellee.	CAUSE NO. AP # 803 ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL
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¶ 1 This Matter comes before the Fort Peck Court of Appeals (FPCOA) on a Petition for Review filed by Appellant on July 24, 2020 and received by the FPCOA on March 24, 2021. Appellant requests review of his conviction and sentence issued by the Tribal Court on July 23, 2020. Appellant, appearing *pro se*, was found guilty for felony Driving Under the Influence after a bench trial and submits on appeal that law enforcement lacked probable cause to stop his vehicle.

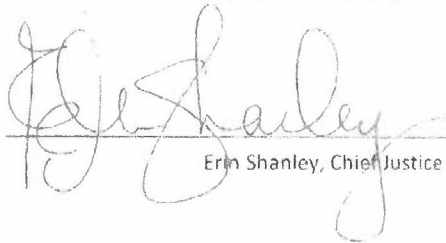
¶ 2 On April 7, 2021, this Court accepted review of the matter based on Appellant's automatic right to appeal from a judgment of conviction. 2 CCOJ 205. The Fort Peck

Court of Appeals issued a briefing schedule, but did not receive any briefs. The Court extended the opportunity to file briefs on May 24, 2021 and notified the parties that a failure to file a brief would result in dismissal. The Appellant failed to file a brief.


¶ 3 THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED for purposes of judicial efficiency, this Matter is DISMISSED with prejudice.

SO ORDERED the 3rd day of July 2021.


FORT PECK COURT OF APPEALS



Erin Shanley, Chief Justice



Brenda Desmond, Associate Justice



Associate Justice