Timothy G. EVANS v. STATE of Arkansas

CR 96-649

923 S.W.2d 872

Supreme Court of Arkansas Opinion delivered June 24, 1996

APPEAL & ERROR — MOTION FOR RULE ON CLERK — GOOD CAUSE FOR GRANTING. — An admission by an attorney for a criminal defendant that the record was tendered late due to a mistake on his part is good cause to grant a motion for rule on the clerk.

Motion from Rule on the Clerk; granted.

Davis & Watson, P.A., by: Charles E. Davis, for appellant.

No response.

PER CURIAM. Petitioner, Timothy G. Evans, by his attorney, Charles E. Davis, has filed a motion for rule on the clerk. His attorney admits that the record was tendered late due to a mistake on his part.

[1] We find that such error, admittedly made by the attorney for a criminal defendant, is good cause to grant the motion. See Terry v. State, 272 Ark. 243, 613 S.W.2d 90 (1981); In Re: Belated Appeals in Criminal Cases, 295 Ark. 964 (1979) (per curiam).

A copy of this per curiam will be forwarded to the Committee on Professional Conduct. In Re: Belated Appeals in Criminal Cases, 265 Ark. 964.