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IN THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS  
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

STATE OF HAWAII, Plaintiff-Appellee,  
v.  
ELDRIDGE P. WONG, Defendant-Appellant.

APPEAL FROM THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIRST CIRCUIT  
WAI'ANAЕ DIVISION  
(CASE NO. 1DCW-25-0000844)

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

(By: Leonard, Presiding Judge, McCullen and Gluck, JJ.)

Upon review of the record, it appears that:

(1) Defendant-Appellant Eldridge P. Wong (**Wong**) appeals from the January 9, 2026 Notice(s) of Entry of Judgment and/or Order(s) (collectively, **Judgments**) entered in the District Court of the First Circuit, Wai'anae Division;

(2) The Judgments enter conviction on the three counts alleged, but they do not enter a sentence;

(3) "Judgments of conviction are not final [and appealable] unless they include the final adjudication and the

final sentence." State v. Kilborn, 109 Hawai'i 435, 442, 127 P.3d 95, 102 (App. 2005); and

(4) Wong's current counsel concedes that "[p]rior counsel filed a premature Notice of Appeal."

Therefore, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that this premature appeal is dismissed for lack of jurisdiction.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all pending motions are dismissed.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai'i, May 28, 2026.

/s/ Katherine G. Leonard  
Presiding Judge

/s/ Sonja M.P. McCullen  
Associate Judge

/s/ Daniel M. Gluck  
Associate Judge