

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

RICHARD HAEFNER,	§	
	§	
Defendant Below,	§	
Appellant,	§	
	§	
v.	§	No. 76, 2000
	§	
STATE OF DELAWARE,	§	Court Below: Superior Court
	§	of the State of Delaware, in
Plaintiff Below,	§	and for New Castle County,
Appellee.	§	in Cr. ID No. 9801008714.

Submitted: February 22, 2000

Decided: February 28, 2000

Before VEASEY, Chief Justice, Walsh and Holland, Justices.

ORDER

This 28th day of February 2000, it appears to the Court that:

1. On February 22, 2000, the appellant filed a document entitled “Petition for Allowance of Appeal” from the interlocutory order of the Superior Court dated January 18, 2000, denying his motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*.
2. Under the Delaware Constitution, only a final judgment may be reviewed by this Court in a *criminal* case. Del Const. Art. IV, § 11(1)(b).

As a result, this Court has no jurisdiction to review an interlocutory appeal in a criminal case. *Rash v. State*, Del Supr., 318 A.2d 603, (1974); *State v. Cooley*, Del. Supr., 430 A.2d 789, (1981). This well-settled principle of Delaware constitutional law precludes our consideration of Haefner's appeal.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that this appeal is DISMISSED, *sua sponte*, pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 29(c).

BY THE COURT:

s/ Joseph T. Walsh

Justice