

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY APPELLATE PANEL
OF THE TENTH CIRCUIT**

IN RE STEVEN WAYNE NORWOOD,
Debtor.

BAP No. CO-13-001

STEVEN WAYNE NORWOOD,
Appellant,

Bankr. No. 12-23027
Chapter 7

v.

DISMISSAL ORDER

UNITED STATES TRUSTEE, SIMON
E. RODRIGUEZ, Chapter 7 Trustee,
HARVEL 821HUMMER LLC,
SIGTECH, INC., KERMIT HARVEL
and CAROLYN HARVEL,

February 19, 2013

Appellees.

Before CORNISH, NUGENT, and KARLIN, Bankruptcy Judges.

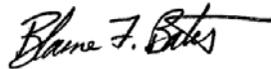
On January 17, 2013, this Court issued its Order to Show Cause Why Appeal Should Not Be Considered for Dismissal as Untimely (“OSC”). On January 31, 2013, the pro se Appellant Steven Wayne Norwood filed a document entitled “Filings as Required by BAP Case No(s). CO-12-101 and CO-13-001,” which we liberally construe as incorporating a response to the OSC.¹ On February 15, 2013, the Appellee Simon E. Rodriguez, Chapter 7 Trustee, filed a Response to Memorandum of Law.

Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 8002(a) mandates that a notice of appeal be filed within 14 days of the entry of the order appealed. In this case, the

¹ The Court liberally construes the pleadings filed by Appellant, who is pro se. *See Cummings v. Evans*, 161 F.3d 610, 613 (10th Cir. 1998); *McBride v. Deer*, 240 F.3d 1287, 1290 (10th Cir. 2001).

order appealed was entered on October 24, 2012, but the Appellant's Notice of Appeal was not filed until November 28, 2012. Thus, the Appellant's Notice of Appeal is not timely, and this Court lacks jurisdiction over the appeal. *Deyhima v. Rupp (In re Herwit)*, 970 F.2d 709, 710 (10th Cir. 1992); *Furst v. Furst (In re Furst)*, 206 B.R. 979, 980 (10th Cir. BAP 1997). Accordingly, it is HEREBY ORDERED that this appeal is DISMISSED.

For the Panel:

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Blaine F. Bates

Clerk of Court