Court of Appeals
of the State of Georgia

ATLANTA, August 20, 2026

The Court of Appeals hereby passes the following order:

A27A0102. ROBERT TERRY RAY v. THE STATE.

Robert Terry Ray filed a notice of appeal of the trial court's order revoking his probation. We lack jurisdiction.

Appeals from probation revocation orders must be made by application for discretionary appeal. OCGA § 5-6-35(a)(5), (b). Compliance with the discretionary appeals procedure is jurisdictional. See *Hair Restoration Specialists v. State of Ga.*, 360 Ga. App. 901, 903 (862 SE2d 564) (2021); *Jones v. State*, 322 Ga. App. 269, 269 n.2 (745 SE2d 1) (2013).

Ray's failure to follow the discretionary appeal procedures therefore deprives us of jurisdiction over this appeal, which is hereby DISMISSED.

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Clerk's Office, Atlanta, 08/20/2026

I certify that the above is a true extract from the minutes of the Court of Appeals of Georgia.

Witness my signature and the seal of said court hereto affixed the day and year last above written.

Christina Cooley Smith
_____, *Clerk.*