IN THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF APPEALS OF THE CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS

NOEL LIFE	§	
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Appellant,	§	No. 14-MCA-3762
	Š	Ticket No. 44012732
v.	§	
	§	
STATE OF TEXAS	§	
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Appellee.	§	
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OPINION

Appellant appeals her conviction in Municipal Court for not having her animal currently registered. A fine of \$30.00 was assessed.

Although Appellant claims that she is being harassed by the Animal Control Officer, and initially indicates that there were four animals that did not belong to her, she admits that the animal identified in this case by the name of "Jasmine" is, in fact her animal.

Appellant was cited on November 18, 2013, but Appellant has not provided any proof that the animal was registered on that day. On the contrary, she has presented a Certificate of Vaccination for that animal, which indicates that the animal had received its annual registration No. 53378 on May 14, 2014, months after she received her citation.

It should be noted that having the animal vaccinated which is good for three years, is not the same as having the animal registered, which is required to be done annually. Appellant's proof submitted to this Court in the form of a Certificate of Vaccination shows that the animal was vaccinated but was not registered until after the date of citation, and no other proof showing that the animal was properly registered on the date the citation was issued has been provided.

Additionally, there is no record before this Court which indicates what evidence was actually introduced, and therefore this Court cannot review questions of fact that are decided by the Trial Judge and not this Court.

Therefore, the judgment of the Trial Court is affirmed.

SIGNED this grade September, 2014.

Odell S. Holmes, Jr., Judge

El Paso Municipal Court of Appeals

JUDGEMENT

This case came on to be heard on the Transcript of the Record of the Court below, the same being considered, it is ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED by the Court that the case is affirmed.

SIGNED this 9 day of September, 2014.

Odell S. Holmes, Jr., Judge

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