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Commonwealth Of Kentucky
Court of Appeals

NO. 2004-CA-001103-MR

LEIGH ANN ADAMS

APPELLANT

APPEAL FROM JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT
v. HONORABLE THOMAS B. WINE, JUDGE
ACTION NO. 00-CI-004553

TURNER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY;
HENDERSON ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC.;
DAVID L. KRAATZ; AND RANDY SNYDER

APPELLEES

OPINION
AFFIRMING

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BEFORE: GUIDUGLI AND TAYLOR, JUDGES; EMBERTON, SENIOR JUDGE.¹

TAYLOR, JUDGE: Leigh Ann Adams brings this *pro se* appeal from a May 6, 2004, order of the Jefferson Circuit Court dismissing her action for failure to prosecute. We affirm.

In July 2000, appellant, through counsel, filed a complaint against appellees alleging personal injuries as a result of appellees' negligence. The record reveals that this

¹ Senior Judge Thomas D. Emberton sitting as Special Judge by assignment of the Chief Justice pursuant to Section 110(5)(b) of the Kentucky Constitution and Kentucky Revised Statutes 21.580.

case had been set for trial on two previous occasions, December 2002 and June 2003, but was continued on motions filed by appellant. In July 2003, appellant's counsel withdrew, citing irreconcilable differences with his client. A pretrial conference was then continued twice over a six-month period to allow appellant to obtain new counsel. Appellant failed to obtain new counsel and announced in late 2003 to the court that she would proceed *pro se* at trial. The trial was then reset to May 4, 2004. On the trial date of May 4, 2004, appellant failed to timely appear for trial, and appellees made a motion to dismiss for lack of prosecution. The circuit court granted the motion and subsequently entered an order dismissing her action. This appeal follows.

Appellant has filed a *pro se* "brief" with this Court. The brief fails to clearly set forth any arguments on appeal, and does not include a single citation to the record. Moreover, appellant has not cited to a single case, rule, or statute in her brief. Simply put, we are unable to discern the precise issues on appeal and further are unable to discern the law in support of her arguments. As such, we are compelled to summarily affirm the circuit court's dismissal of her action. See Milby v. Mears, 580 S.W.2d 724 (Ky.App. 1979).

For the foregoing reasons, the order of the Jefferson Circuit Court is affirmed.

ALL CONCUR.

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