

NOTE: This order is nonprecedential.

**United States Court of Appeals
for the Federal Circuit**

**RICARDO J. CALDERON LOPEZ, dba Starlight
Consulting Services, dba Starlight Entertainment
Enterprises, Inc., dba Starlight Music Management,
Inc.,**
Plaintiff-Appellant

v.

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES COUNTY
REGISTRAR RECORDER OFFICE, OFFICE OF
THE SECRETARY OF STATE, FRANCHISE TAX
BOARD, COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO, Of-
fice of the Secretary of State,**
Defendants

2024-2133

Appeal from the United States District Court for the
District of Columbia in No. 1:19-cv-01139-UNA, Judge Col-
leen Kollar-Kotelly.

PER CURIAM.

O R D E R

On May 17, 2019, the district court dismissed Ricardo
J. Calderon Lopez's complaint. Mr. Calderon Lopez

appealed to the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit, which dismissed for failure to prosecute on October 17, 2019. On July 23, 2024, Mr. Calderon Lopez filed a notice of appeal directed to this court from a decision entered “05/17/2019” in the district court action. ECF No. 1-2 at 1.

“[T]he timely filing of a notice of appeal in a civil case is a jurisdictional requirement,” *Bowles v. Russell*, 551 U.S. 205, 214 (2007), and this appeal, filed over five years after the district court’s May 17, 2019 decision, is clearly untimely. See 28 U.S.C. § 2107; Fed. R. App. P. 4. For at least this reason, we and any other court of appeals lack jurisdiction.

Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- (1) The appeal is dismissed.
- (2) Each party shall bear its own costs.

FOR THE COURT



Jarrett B. Perlow
Clerk of Court

August 22, 2024
Date