

**COURT OF APPEAL, SECOND CIRCUIT  
STATE OF LOUISIANA  
430 Fannin Street  
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JPS MOTORS, L.L.C., ARCADIA MOTORS,  
L.L.C., CLAIBORNE AUTOMOTIVE GROUP,  
L.L.C. AND THOMAS G. MARTIN

No. 56,607-CA

VERSUS

Appealed from  
Bienville Parish

SUPERIOR AUTOMOTIVE GROUP, LLC.,  
LAWRENCE VAUGHN

No. 46,680

*Consolidated with*

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BANK AND TRUST

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AND THOMAS G. MARTIN

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VERSUS

Appealed from  
Bienville Parish

SUPERIOR AUTOMOTIVE GROUP, L.L.C.,  
LAWRENCE VAUGHN

No. 46,697

Before PITMAN, THOMPSON, and ROBINSON, JJ.

**ORDER**

The appellants, Superior Automotive Group, L.L.C. and Lawrence Vaughn, have appealed the trial court's October 22, 2024 judgment denying their declinatory exceptions of improper venue. The trial court's judgment is interlocutory and not subject to an appeal. La. C.C.P. arts. 1841 and 2083. It is within this court's discretion to convert the improper appeal to an application for supervisory writ. La. Const. art. V, § 10(A); *Stelluto v. Stelluto*, 05-74 (La. 6/29/05), 914 So. 2d 34. Accordingly, the appeal is hereby converted to a writ

and will be reviewed under this court's supervisory jurisdiction when briefing is complete.

Shreveport, Louisiana, this 29 day of July 2025.

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