## IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

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No. 00-41150 Conference Calendar

SHELDON MOSLEY,

Petitioner-Appellant,

versus

GARY L. JOHNSON, DIRECTOR, TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE, INSTITUTIONAL DIVISION,

Respondent-Appellee.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas

USDC No. C-99-CV-525

June 14, 2001

Before WIENER, DeMOSS, and DENNIS, Circuit Judges.
PER CURIAM:\*

Sheldon Mosley, Texas prisoner # 745915, appeals the district court's dismissal of his 28 U.S.C. § 2254 petition as time-barred under 28 U.S.C. § 2244(d). Mosley contends that he is entitled to equitable tolling of the limitations period because he did not receive notice of the denial of his state petition for habeas relief until after the federal limitations period had expired.

 $<sup>^{*}</sup>$  Pursuant to 5TH CIR. R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR. R. 47.5.4.

The district court did not abuse its discretion in determining that Mosley was not entitled to equitable tolling.

See Phillips v. Donnelly, 216 F.3d 508, 511 (5th Cir. 2000);

Fisher v. Johnson, 174 F.3d 710, 713 (5th Cir. 1999).

AFFIRMED.