IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JOHNNY MAE SNELL,

Appellant,

vs. PALACE STATION HOTEL & CASINO, INC., A NEVADA CORPORATION, Respondent. No. 43043

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

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On February 16, 2005, this court entered an order reinstating briefing as the parties were unable to agree to a settlement of this appeal. That order, among other things, directed appellant to request transcripts in compliance with NRAP 9(a) within 15 days and to file and serve the opening brief and appendix within 120 days.

Appellant failed to request transcripts as directed in our February 16, 2005, order. Accordingly, on March 10, 2005, this court issued a notice directing appellant to request transcripts by March 21, 2005. Appellant failed to request transcripts in accordance with our notice and also failed to timely file the opening brief. Accordingly, on June 6, 2005, this court entered an order directing him to comply with NRAP 9(a) within 10 days and to file the opening brief within 15 days. That order cautioned appellant's counsel that failure to comply timely might result in the dismissal of this appeal as abandoned.

To date, appellant has failed to comply with our orders or otherwise communicate with this court. Accordingly, cause appearing, we

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dismiss this appeal as abandoned.

It is so ORDERED.

J. Rose J. Gibbons

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cc: Hon. Stewart L. Bell, District Judge Howard Roitman, Settlement Judge George E. Cromer Pyatt Silvestri & Hanlon Clark County Clerk

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