

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

LAWRENCE STEVEN YANEZ,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 43180

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

JANETTE M. BLOOM
CLERK OF SUPREME COURT
BY *J. Richards*
CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK

This is an appeal from a judgment of conviction, pursuant to a guilty plea, of 4 counts of securities fraud against a person 65 years of age or older. This court's preliminary review of this appeal reveals that the district court entered the judgment of conviction on February 5, 2004. Appellant did not file the notice of appeal, however, until April 16, 2004, well after the expiration of the thirty-day appeal period prescribed by NRAP 4(b). An untimely notice of appeal fails to vest jurisdiction in this court.¹ Accordingly, we conclude that we lack jurisdiction to consider this appeal, and we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

Becker
_____, J.
Becker

Agosti
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Gibbons
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¹See Lozada v. State, 110 Nev. 349, 871 P.2d 944 (1994).

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