IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

VICKI CARLTON,

Petitioner,

vs.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CLARK, AND THE HONORABLE GERALD W. HARDCASTLE, DISTRICT JUDGE, FAMILY COURT DIVISION,

Respondents,

and WILLIAM B. TERRY,

Real Party in Interest.

No. 43193

APR 26 2004

ORDER DENYING PETITION

This petition for a writ of mandamus or, in the alternative, prohibition challenges an order of the district court striking a peremptory challenge. Petitioner has also filed a motion to stay a hearing scheduled for April 27, 2004, on petitioner's motion to modify child custody, pending resolution of the instant petition.

We have reviewed the petition, and we are not persuaded that this court's intervention by way of extraordinary writ is warranted at this time. Accordingly, we deny the petition and the motion for a stay.

It is so ORDERED.

C.J.

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Mangain J.

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cc: Hon. Gerald W. Hardcastle, District Judge, Family Court Division Vicki Carlton Jimmerson Hansen Clark County Clerk

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