IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ARMANDO SANCHEZ-NEVAREZ A/K/A ARMANDO SANCHEZ NEVAREZ, Appellant,

vs.

THE STATE OF NEVADA,

Respondent.

No. 43711

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This is a proper person appeal from an order of the district court denying a motion for sentence modification. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Jennifer Togliatti, Judge.

This court's preliminary review of this appeal reveals a jurisdictional defect. Specifically, the district court entered the written order denying the motion on June 4, 2004. Appellant did not file the notice of appeal, however, until July 29, 2004, 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. Accordingly, we conclude

¹See <u>Lozada v. State</u>, 110 Nev. 349, 871 P.2d 944 (1994).

that we lack jurisdiction to consider this appeal, and we ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

Rose, J.

Maupin J.

Donglas J.

cc: Hon. Jennifer Togliatti, District Judge Armando Sanchez-Nevarez Attorney General Brian Sandoval/Carson City Clark County District Attorney David J. Roger Clark County Clerk