

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

THOMAS V. RICHARDSON,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 43811

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

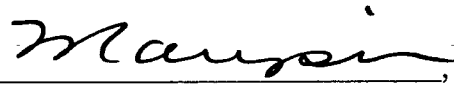
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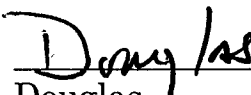
This is a proper person appeal from a judgment of conviction, pursuant to a guilty plea, of one count of possession of a controlled substance with intent to sell. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Donald M. Mosley, Judge.

This court's preliminary review of this appeal reveals a jurisdictional defect. Specifically, the district court entered the judgment of conviction on April 30, 2004. Appellant did not file the notice of appeal, however, until August 17, 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.


_____, J.
Rose


_____, J.
Maupin


_____, J.
Douglas

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

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