

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

TARA HILL AND ANTHONY HILL,
MINORS, BY AND THROUGH THEIR
GUARDIAN AD LITEM, CAREN HILL;
CAREN HILL, INDIVIDUALLY; AND
THE ESTATE OF RANDY HILL,
DECEASED,

Appellants,

vs.

WASHOE MEDICAL CENTER,

Respondent.

No. 44192

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CLERK OF SUPREME COURT
J. Richards

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL AS ABANDONED

On June 14, 2005, this court entered an order reinstating the deadlines for requesting transcripts and filing briefs after the parties were unable to agree to a settlement of this appeal. Pursuant to that order, appellants were required to request transcripts in compliance with NRAP 9(a) by June 29, 2005, and to file and serve the opening brief by September 12, 2005. On July 11, 2005, this court issued a reminder notice directing appellants to request transcripts in compliance with NRAP 9(a) within 10 days.

Because appellants still did not request transcripts, on September 29, 2005, this court entered an order directing them to comply with NRAP 9(a) within 10 days and to file and serve the opening brief and appendix within 20 days. That order cautioned appellants' counsel that failure to timely comply might result in the imposition of sanctions, including dismissal of this appeal as abandoned.

To date, appellants have failed to request transcripts in compliance with NRAP 9(a) as directed in our previous two orders and notice. In addition, appellants have now also failed to timely file the

opening brief and appendix. Accordingly, cause appearing, we dismiss this appeal as abandoned. See NRAP 9(a)(3).

It is so ORDERED.

Douglas, J.
Douglas

Rose, J.
Rose

Parraguirre, J.
Parraguirre

cc: Hon. Steven P. Elliott, District Judge
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