## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MICHAEL J. MCINERNEY, Appellant, vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA, Respondent. No. 45605

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## ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL



This is a proper person appeal from an order of the district court denying a motion for the appointment of post-conviction counsel. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Douglas W. Herndon, Judge.

Our review of this appeal reveals a jurisdictional defect. The right to appeal is statutory; where no statute or court rule provides for an appeal, no right to appeal exists. No statute or court rule provides for an appeal from an order of the district court denying a motion for the appointment of post-conviction counsel. Accordingly, we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

Rose J.

Gibbons

Hardesty J.

<sup>1</sup>Castillo v. State, 106 Nev. 349, 792 P.2d 1133 (1990).

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