

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

GEORGE GONZALES,  
Appellant,  
vs.  
THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
Respondent.

No. 46163

**FILED**

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

JANETTE M. BLOOM  
CLERK OF SUPREME COURT  
BY J. Richards  
CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK

This is a proper person appeal from an order of the district court denying appellant's proper person motion to dismiss his counsel and for the appointment of new counsel. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Michelle Leavitt, 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.<sup>1</sup> No statute or court rule provides for an appeal from an order denying a motion for the appointment of new counsel. Accordingly, we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

Maupin, J.  
Maupin

Gibbons, J.  
Gibbons

Hardesty, J.  
Hardesty

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

cc: Hon. Michelle Leavitt, District Judge  
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