IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MARTIN ALVAREZ, Appellant, vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA, Respondent.

No. 46243

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is an appeal from a judgment of conviction, pursuant to a jury verdict, of two counts of lewdness with a minor under the age of 14. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Michael A. Cherry, Judge.

On July 25, 2006, counsel for appellant filed a motion to withdraw this appeal voluntarily. In the motion, counsel advises that she has informed appellant of the legal effects and consequences of voluntarily withdrawing this appeal. Having been so informed, appellant consents to a voluntary dismissal of this appeal.

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Cause appearing, the motion is granted and we ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.¹

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Hardesty, J.

Hon. Michael A. Cherry, District Judge Clark County Public Defender Philip J. Kohn Patricia Erickson Attorney General George Chanos/Carson City Clark County District Attorney David J. Roger Clark County Clerk Martin Alvarez

¹Because no remittitur will issue in this matter, <u>see</u> NRAP 42(b), the one-year period for filing a post-conviction habeas corpus petition under NRS 34.726(1) shall commence to run from the date of this order.

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