

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

TAMMI N. WAELTY, N/K/A TAMMI N.  
MUSEMICI,  
Appellant,  
vs.  
MICHAEL L. WAELTY,  
Respondent.

No. 46348

**FILED**

**FEB 17 2006**

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

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

This proper person appeal challenges a November 15, 2005 district court order in a family law case. Eighth Judicial District Court, Family Court Division, Clark County; N. Anthony Del Vecchio, Judge.

Appellant's notice of appeal was filed in this court on December 2, 2005. In it, she expresses concern with a November 15, 2005 district court order's treatment of asserted child support arrearages, in connection with social security funds received. But the November 15 order appears to arise from appellant's stipulation that child support "will remain zero." As a result, it appears that appellant is not an "aggrieved party" with standing to appeal.<sup>1</sup>

Moreover, when the notice of appeal was filed, appellant was mailed a civil proper person appeal statement and other documents, as part of the pilot program for proper person civil appeals.<sup>2</sup> As noted in the

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<sup>1</sup>NRAP 3A(a) (providing that an aggrieved party may appeal from an order); Valley Bank of Nevada v. Ginsburg, 110 Nev. 440, 446, 874 P.2d 729, 734 (1994) (holding that a party is aggrieved within the meaning of NRAP 3A(a) when either a personal right or right of property is adversely affected by a court ruling).

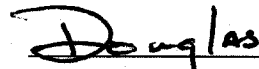
<sup>2</sup>See ADKT No. 385 (Order Establishing Pilot Program in Civil Appeals, June 10, 2005).

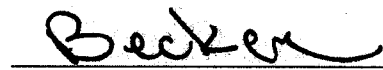
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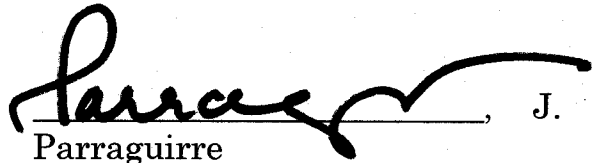
instructions accompanying the documents mailed to appellant, appellant was required to file her civil appeal statement within forty days from the date her appeal was filed in this court.<sup>3</sup> The instructions further explained that if appellant failed to file the appeal statement by that date, this court would dismiss the appeal.<sup>4</sup>

Although appellant's appeal statement was due on January 11, 2006, appellant has failed to file the statement. Consequently, even if appellant is somehow aggrieved by the district court's order, we conclude that appellant has nonetheless abandoned her appeal, and we therefore

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.<sup>5</sup>

  
\_\_\_\_\_, J.  
Douglas

  
\_\_\_\_\_, J.  
Becker

  
\_\_\_\_\_, J.  
Parraguirre

cc: Hon. N. Anthony Del Vecchio, District Judge, Family Court Division  
Tammi Musemici  
Hofland Manning  
Clark County Clerk

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<sup>3</sup>Id., Exhibit A (Instructions for Civil Litigants Without Attorneys).

<sup>4</sup>Id.

<sup>5</sup>After a district court order waiving costs was filed in this court on January 17, 2005, appellant's filing fee was waived. Accordingly, and in light of this order, we deny as moot appellant's motion to proceed in forma pauperis.