

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

PAUL LUCAS,  
Appellant,  
vs.  
THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
Respondent.

No. 47074

**FILED**

MAY 08 2006

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

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

This is an appeal from an order of the district court denying appellant's motion to discharge counsel and for a speedy trial. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Donald M. Mosley, 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 to discharge counsel and for a speedy trial. Accordingly, we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

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

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

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

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

cc: Hon. Donald M. Mosley, District Judge  
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