IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

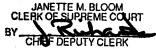
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Appellant,
vs.
VICTOR MANUEL MUNOZ,
Respondent.

No. 47490

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL



This is an appeal from an order of the district court granting respondent's motion to suppress evidence. Fourth Judicial District Court, Elko County; Andrew J. Puccinelli, Judge.

Although NRS 177.015(2) authorizes such an appeal, the statute contemplates that the State must make a preliminary showing of good cause why this court should entertain the appeal. On June 29, 2006, the State filed points and authorities in support of a preliminary showing of the propriety of this appeal, and on July 5, 2006, respondent filed an opposition to the State's points and authorities. Having considered the documents filed, we conclude that the State has failed to make a preliminary showing of good cause why this court should entertain this appeal. Accordingly, we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

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