IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

PERCY LAVAE BACON, Petitioner,

VS.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CLARK, AND THE HONORABLE VALERIE ADAIR, DISTRICT JUDGE,

Respondents,

and

UNITED ROAD SERVICES, INC.; QUALITY TOWING; AND THRIFTY RENTAL CAR, INC..

Real Parties in Interest.

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ORDER DENYING PETITION FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS

This original proper person petition for a writ of mandamus challenges a district court order granting a motion to quash.

A writ of mandamus is available to compel the performance of an act that the law requires, or to control an arbitrary or capricious exercise of discretion.¹ A petition for a writ of mandamus is addressed to this court's sole discretion.² And this extraordinary writ is generally available only when no plain, speedy, and adequate legal remedy exists.³

We have considered the petition and supporting documentation, and we are not satisfied that this court's intervention by

³NRS 34.170.

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¹See NRS 34.160; Round Hill Gen. Imp. Dist. v. Newman, 97 Nev. 601, 637 P.2d 534 (1981).

²See Poulos v. District Court, 98 Nev. 453, 455, 652 P.2d 1177, 1178 (1982).

way of extraordinary relief is warranted.⁴ Additionally, we note that on August 17, 2005, this court entered an order dismissing petitioner's appeal from the order challenged in this petition.⁵ In our order, we noted that a district court order granting a motion to quash is not an appealable order. A final judgment resolving all of the issues in the case, however, is appealable.⁶ Following the resolution of any pending motions, and once the district court has entered a final judgment, petitioner, if aggrieved, has an adequate legal remedy in the form of an appeal from the final judgment,⁷ and in the context of that appeal, petitioner can then challenge the district court's order granting the motion to quash.⁸

Accordingly, the petition is denied.

It is so ORDERED.

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⁴See NRAP 21(b); Smith v. District Court, 107 Nev. 674, 818 P.2d 849 (1991).

⁵See <u>Bacon v. United Road Services, Inc.</u>, Docket No. 45541 (Order Dismissing Appeal, August 17, 2005).

⁶See NRAP 3A(b)(1); <u>Lee v. GNLV Corp.</u>, 116 Nev. 424, 996 P.2d 416 (2000).

⁷See NRAP 3A(a) and 3A(b)(1); Pan v. Dist. Ct., 120 Nev. 222, 224, 88 P.3d 840, 841 (2004).

⁸See Consolidated Generator v. Cummins Engine, 114 Nev. 1304, 971 P.2d 1251 (1998) (providing that this court on appeal from the final judgment may properly consider interlocutory orders).

cc: Hon. Valerie Adair, District Judge Percy Lavae Bacon O'Neal, Marchiondo & McGrath Gugino Law Firm Clark County Clerk