IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JULIO CARLIN, Appellant, vs. LAS VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT, Respondent.

No. 48234

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is a proper person appeal from a district court order denying a motion to set aside a default judgment. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Kenneth C. Cory, Judge.

Appellant's notice of appeal was filed in this court on October 17, 2006. 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.¹ As noted in the instructions accompanying the documents mailed to appellant, appellant was required to file his appeal statement within forty days from the date that his appeal was filed in this court.² The instructions further explained that if

¹See ADKT No. 385 (Order Establishing Pilot Program in Civil Appeals, June 10, 2005). <u>See also</u> ADKT No. 385 (Order Extending Pilot Program for Civil Proper Person Appeals, May 10, 2006) (extending the pilot program for civil appeals, which was scheduled to conclude on June 13, 2006, until further order of this court).

²<u>See</u> ADKT No. 385 (Order Establishing Pilot Program in Civil Appeals, June 10, 2005), Exhibit A (Instructions for Civil Litigants Without Attorneys).

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appellant failed to file the appeal statement by that date, this court would dismiss the appeal.³

Appellant's appeal statement was due on November 27, 2006. To date, appellant has not filed an appeal statement or otherwise responded to this court's directive. Accordingly, we dismiss this appeal.

It is so ORDERED. 4

J.

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J. Douglas

J. Hardesty

Hon. Kenneth C. Cory, District Judge cc: Julio Carlin Attorney General Catherine Cortez Masto/Carson City Clark County District Attorney David J. Roger/Civil Division Clark County Clerk

<u>³Id.</u>

⁴We note that appellant's failure to pay the filing fee or otherwise comply with NRAP 24(a) constitutes an independent basis for dismissing this appeal.

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