

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JOAQUIN ESPARZA, A/K/A JOSE J.
ESPARZA-CARDONA,
Appellant,
vs.
NICOLE R. SPANOS,
Respondent.

No. 50183

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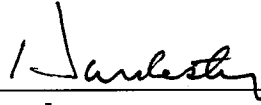
ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

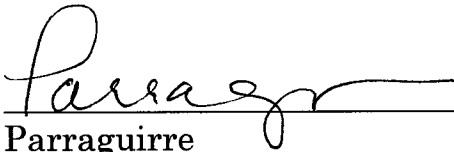
This is a proper person appeal from a district court order denying appellant's motion to (1) confirm custody jurisdiction, (2) hold a UCCJEA conference, and (3) enforce visitation, and granting respondent's motion to defer custody jurisdiction to the minor child's home state d. Eighth Judicial District Court, Family Court Division, Clark County; T. Arthur Ritchie Jr., Judge.

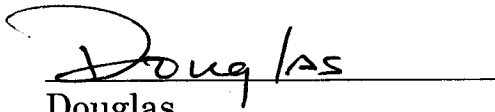
On January 15, 2008, we directed appellant (1) to properly serve respondent's counsel with copies of his notice of appeal and case appeal statement and file properly completed certificates of service for these documents with this court within fifteen days of that order's date and (2) to file and serve his completed civil proper person appeal statement within twenty days of that order's date. We cautioned appellant that his failure to comply with the directives contained in our January 15 order might result in the dismissal of this appeal. Appellant's certificates of service for his notice of appeal and case appeal statement were due on February 15, 2008, and his civil proper person appeal statement was due on February 20, 2008. To date, appellant has not filed

his certificates of service or civil proper person appeal statement and has not otherwise responded to the directives contained in our January 15 order. Accordingly, we conclude that appellant has abandoned this appeal, and we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.


_____, J.
Hardesty


_____, J.
Parraguirre


_____, J.
Douglas

cc: Hon. T. Arthur Ritchie Jr., District Judge, Family Court Division
Joaquin Esparza
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Eighth District Court Clerk