IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

RUSSELL KISER, Appellant, vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA, Respondent. No. 51742

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is an appeal from an order denying a motion to review. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Lee A. Gates, Judge.

Our preliminary review of this appeal revealed a potential jurisdictional defect. Specifically, it appeared that the order identified in the notice of appeal is not substantively appealable. The right to appeal is statutory; where no statute or court rule provides for an appeal, no right to appeal exists.¹ No statute or court rule provides for an appeal from a motion to review. Accordingly, on July 31, 2008, this court ordered appellant's counsel Christopher Oram to show cause why this appeal should not be dismissed for lack of jurisdiction. To date, Mr. Oram has failed to file a response to the order to show cause.

¹<u>Castillo v. State</u>, 106 Nev. 349, 352, 792 P.2d 1133, 1135 (1990).

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Having reviewed the documents submitted in this appeal,² we conclude that we lack jurisdiction to consider this appeal, and we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

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cc: Hon. Lee A. Gates, District Judge Christopher R. Oram Attorney General Catherine Cortez Masto/Carson City Clark County District Attorney David J. Roger **Eighth District Court Clerk Russell Kiser**

²When reviewing this appeal for jurisdiction, we have considered the proper person documents that were received in this appeal on June 20, 2008, and July 25, 2008. Accordingly, the clerk of this court shall file the proper person documents.

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