## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

WILLIAM JAMES GARDNER, Appellant,

vs.
NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF
CORRECTIONS; NDOC DIRECTOR
JACKIE CRAWFORD; DICK SEIZE;
STEPHEN MACARTHUR; ELDON K.
MCDANIEL; TED D'AMICO; JOSEPH
BRACKBILL; ROY WILLIAMS; AND
DAVID MCNEELY,
Respondents.

No. 52084

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## ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

Appellant's notice of appeal was filed in this court on July 21, 2008. 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.<sup>1</sup> As noted in the instructions accompanying the documents mailed to appellant, appellant was required to file his appeal statement within 40 days from the date his appeal was filed in this court.<sup>2</sup> The instructions further explained that if appellant

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>See ADKT No. 385 (Order Establishing Pilot Program in Civil Appeals, June 10, 2005). See also 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).

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

failed to file the appeal statement by that date, this court would dismiss the appeal.<sup>3</sup>

Appellant's appeal statement was due on September 2, 2008. 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.

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J.

cc: Hon. Dan L. Papez, District Judge
William James Gardner
Attorney General Catherine Cortez Masto/Las Vegas
White Pine County Clerk

3<u>Id.</u>