IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

KEVIN WAYNE DEAL, Appellant, vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA, Respondent. No. 52269

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is a proper person appeal from a judgment of conviction. Second Judicial District Court, Washoe County; Patrick Flanagan, Judge.

This court's preliminary review of this appeal reveals a jurisdictional defect. Specifically, the district court entered the judgment of conviction on November 2, 2007. Appellant did not file the notice of appeal, however, until August 20, 2008, well after the expiration of the thirty-day appeal period prescribed by NRAP 4(b). "[A]n untimely notice of appeal fails to vest jurisdiction in this court." Accordingly, we conclude

¹Lozada v. State, 110 Nev. 349, 352, 871 P.2d 944, 946 (1994).

that we lack jurisdiction to consider this appeal, and we ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

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