

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MANUEL DEJESUS AVILA-ZECENA,
Appellant,
vs.
ASHLEY WEHDE N/K/A ASHLEY
DAMARLANE,
Respondent.

No. 53691

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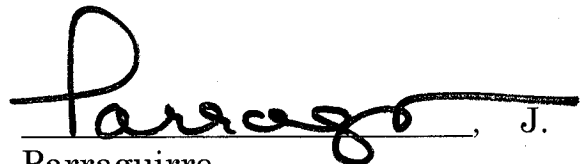
ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

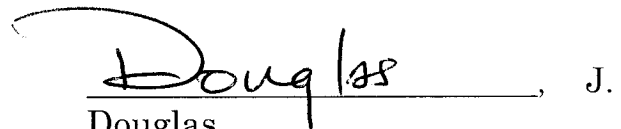
This appeal was placed in the pilot program for proper person civil appeals on June 18, 2009, upon the withdrawal of appellant's counsel. See ADKT No. 385 (Order Establishing Pilot Program in Civil Appeals, June 10, 2005). See also ADKT No. 385 (Order Extending Pilot Program for Civil Proper Person Appeals, 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). At that time, appellant was mailed a civil proper person appeal statement and other documents, as part of the pilot program for proper person civil appeals. As noted in the instructions accompanying the documents mailed to appellant, he was required to file his appeal statement within 40 days from the date his appeal was filed in this court. See ADKT No. 385 (Order Establishing Pilot Program in Civil Appeals, June 10, 2005), Exhibit A (Instructions for Civil Litigants Without Attorneys). The instructions further explained that if appellant


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

Appellant's appeal statement was due on July 28, 2009. 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.


_____, J.
Parraguirre


_____, J.
Douglas


_____, J.
Pickering

cc: Hon. Jerome Polaha, District Judge
Margo Piscevich, Settlement Judge
Manuel DeJesus Avila-Zecena
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