


IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

RONALD DEAN SNOOKS, JR.,
Appellant,
vs.
DEBRA ANN SNOOKS,
Respondent.

No. 53809

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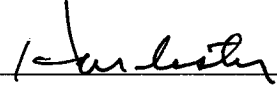
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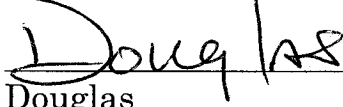
ORDER OF AFFIRMANCE


This is a proper person appeal from a district court order denying appellant's motion to modify child custody. Fifth Judicial District Court, Nye County; John P. Davis, Judge.

This court will not disturb the district court's custody decision absent a clear abuse of discretion. Sims v. Sims, 109 Nev. 1146, 865 P.2d 328 (1993). Having reviewed the appellate record and appellant's proper person civil appeal statement, we conclude that the district court did not abuse its discretion when it denied appellant's motion to modify child custody. Accordingly, we

ORDER the judgment of the district court AFFIRMED.¹


_____, J.
Hardesty


_____, J.
Douglas


_____, J.
Pickering

¹Appellant also challenges the amount of his child support obligation. Because appellant did not raise this issue in his motion to modify child custody, we will not consider this argument for the first time on appeal. See Old Aztec Mine, Inc. v. Brown, 97 Nev. 49, 623 P.2d 981 (1981) (providing that issues raised for the first time on appeal will not be considered by this court).

cc: Hon. John P. Davis, District Judge
Ronald Dean Snooks Jr.
Debra Ann Snooks
Nye County Clerk