

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ALAN BLANCHARD,
Appellant,
vs.
CIRCUS CASINOS, INC. D/B/A CIRCUS
CIRCUS RENO,
Respondent.

No. 53920

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is a proper person appeal from a district court order regarding sanctions. Second Judicial District Court, Washoe County; Steven R. Kosach, Judge.

This court has jurisdiction to consider an appeal only when the appeal is authorized by statute or court rule. Taylor Constr. Co. v. Hilton Hotels, 100 Nev. 207, 209, 678 P.2d 1152, 1153 (1984). No statute or court rule authorizes an appeal from an order regarding sanctions; thus, the challenged order is not substantively appealable on this basis. See NRAP 3A(b) (listing orders and judgments from which an appeal may be taken). Therefore, we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

[Signature], J.
Cherry

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Gibbons

cc: Hon. Steven R. Kosach, District Judge
Alan Blanchard
Rands, South, Gardner & Hetey
Washoe District Court Clerk