

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

COURTNEY LANGSTON LOWE,  
Appellant,  
vs.  
HOWARD SKOLNIK,  
Respondent.

No. 54538

**FILED**

OCT 26 2009

TRACIE K. LINDEMAN  
CLERK OF SUPREME COURT  
BY S. Young  
DEPUTY CLERK

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

Appellant seeks to challenge the district court's oral ruling denying a request for production of documents. No appeal may be taken, however, from a district court's oral ruling. Rust v. Clark Cty. School District, 103 Nev. 686, 689, 747 P.2d 1380, 1382 (1987). Only a final written judgment has any effect, and thus, only a written judgment may be appealed. Id. Accordingly, as we lack jurisdiction over this appeal, we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.<sup>1</sup>

Cherry, J.  
Cherry

Saitta, J.  
Saitta

Gibbons, J.  
Gibbons

<sup>1</sup>We note that appellant's failure to pay the supreme court filing fee could constitute an independent basis on which to dismiss this appeal.

cc: Hon. Mark R. Denton, District Judge  
Courtney Langston Lowe  
Attorney General Catherine Cortez Masto/Carson City  
Eighth District Court Clerk