

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

BLAINE EUGENE WEST,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 54879

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is a proper person appeal from an order of the district court denying a notice of special visitation and petition for dismissal. Second Judicial District Court, Washoe County; Connie J. Steinheimer, Judge.

Our review of this appeal reveals a jurisdictional defect. The right to appeal is statutory; where no statute or court rule provides for an appeal, no right to appeal exists. Castillo v. State, 106 Nev. 349, 352, 792 P.2d 1133, 1135 (1990). No statute or court rule provides for an appeal from an order denying the aforementioned notice and petition. Accordingly, we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

Parraguirre J.
Parraguirre

Douglas J.
Douglas

Pickering J.
Pickering

cc: Hon. Connie J. Steinheimer, District Judge
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