

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

EDWARD ELRY MORRISON,  
Appellant,  
vs.  
THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN  
RESOURCES, WELFARE DIVISION  
AND STACY ANN RICH,  
Respondents.

No. 55422

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

Appellant seeks to challenge a district court order denying a motion to serve by publication. As no statute or court rule authorizes an appeal from an order denying such a motion, the challenged order is not substantively appealable. See NRAP 3A(b) (listing orders and judgments from which an appeal may be taken); see also Taylor Constr. Co. v. Hilton Hotels, 100 Nev. 207, 209, 678 P.2d 1152, 1153 (1984). Therefore, we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

Cherry, J.  
Cherry

Saitta, J.  
Saitta

Gibbons, J.  
Gibbons

cc: Hon. Douglas W. Herndon, District Judge  
Edward Elry Morrison  
Attorney General/Carson City  
Eighth District Court Clerk