

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JUAN MOORE,

Appellant,

vs.

FREDERICK K.C. PRICE, EVER
INCREASING FAITH TELEVISION, LAS
VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE
DEPARTMENT, LOS ANGELES POLICE
DEPARTMENT, BLACK ENTERTAINMENT
TV, AND PRIME CABLE,

Respondents.

No. 35087

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

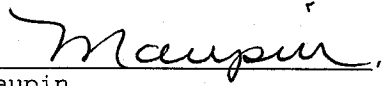
This is a proper person appeal from a minute order dismissing appellant's complaint. Respondent Prime Cable has moved to dismiss this appeal and asserts that no appeal may be taken from a minute order.

A hearing was held on Prime Cable's motion to dismiss the complaint on March 8, 1999. At that time, the district court entered a minute order granting the motion to dismiss as to all defendants. A written order of dismissal was entered on May 26, 1999. However, the notice of appeal was filed on April 20, 1999, before the written order was entered.

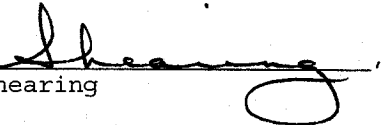
No appeal may be taken from a minute order. *Rust v. Clark Cty. School District*, 103 Nev. 686, 747 P.2d 1380 (1987). A notice of appeal filed before the entry of a written order is of no effect. Id.; see also NRAP 4(a)(1). Here, the notice of appeal was filed before the entry of a written order. It is thus of no effect, and fails to confer jurisdiction on this court.

Accordingly, as we lack jurisdiction over this appeal, the motion to dismiss is granted, and we


ORDER this appeal dismissed.¹



Maupin J.



Shearing J.



Becker J.

cc: Hon. James C. Mahan, District Judge
Clark County District Attorney
Parnell & Associates
Juan Moore
Clark County Clerk

¹Although appellant was not granted leave to file papers in proper person, see NRAP 46(b), we have considered the proper person documents received from appellant.