IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

THE ESTATE OF STACY BRIGGS; AND CRAIG BRIGGS, AS SPECIAL ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE AND AS GUARDIAN AD LITEM FOR THE SON OF STACY BRIGGS, AUSTIN BRIGGS, A MINOR, Petitioners.

VS.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CLARK; AND THE HONORABLE ABBI SILVER, Respondents,

and
UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER;
UMC QUICK CARE, A POLITICAL
SUBDIVISION OF THE STATE OF
NEVADA; RANDOLF M. SHIRAISHI,
M.D.; SPRING VALLEY HOSPITAL
MEDICAL CENTER, AUXILIARY, A
CORPORATION; VALLEY HOSPITAL
MEDICAL CENTER, INC., A
CORPORATION; THE HEIGHTS OF
SUMMERLIN, LLC; AURANGZEB N.
NAGY, M.D.; AND ST. JOSEPH
TRANSITIONAL REHABILITATION
CENTER, LLC, A CORPORATION,
Real Parties in Interest.

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ORDER DENYING PETITION FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS OR PROHIBITION

This original petition for a writ of mandamus or prohibition challenges a district court order granting a motion to dismiss in a medical malpractice action. Having reviewed the petition, answer and supporting documents, we are not persuaded that writ relief is warranted. Smith v.

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<u>District Court</u>, 107 Nev. 674, 677, 818 P.2d 849, 851 (1991). In particular, petitioners have an adequate remedy in the form of an appeal from an order properly certified as final under NRCP 54(b) or from the final judgment. <u>Pan v. Dist. Ct.</u>, 120 Nev. 222, 224, 88 P.3d 840, 841 (2004). Accordingly, we

ORDER the petition DENIED.1

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cc: Hon. Abbi Silver, District Judge
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¹We deny petitioners' motion for leave to file a reply to the answer.