IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ROGER RAPHEAL BROWN, Appellant, vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA, Respondent. No. 58615

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is a proper person appeal from a decision to deny a pretrial petition for a writ of habeas corpus. Second Judicial District Court, Washoe County; Steven R. Kosach, Judge.

Our review of this appeal reveals a jurisdictional defect. Specifically, no appeal lies from an order denying a pretrial petition for a writ of habeas corpus. <u>Gary v. Sheriff</u>, 96 Nev. 78, 605 P.2d 212 (1980). The right to appeal is statutory; where no statute or court rule provides for an appeal, no right to appeal exists. <u>See Castillo v. State</u>, 106 Nev. 349, 352, 792 P.2d 1133, 1135 (1990). Accordingly, we conclude that we lack jurisdiction to consider this appeal, and we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

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