IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JOSEPH F. NASCIMENTO, Appellant, vs. NEVADA STATE BAR FEE DISPUTE COMMITTEE; THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS NEVADA STATE BAR; CONNIE AKRIDGE, ESQ., PRESIDENT; AND ARBITRATOR TODD M. LEVENTHAL, ESQ., Respondents. No. 59532 FILED DEC 16 2011 CLERN OF SUPREME FOUNT BY HEPUT PLERK

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

Our review of the documents before us on appeal reveals a jurisdictional defect. Specifically, it appears that the order appellant is challenging is not a final, appealable judgment. <u>See NRAP 3A(b)(1)</u> (providing for an appeal from a final judgment in an action or proceeding). A final judgment is one that disposes of all issues presented in the case, and leaves nothing for the future consideration of the district court, except for post-judgment issues such as attorney fees and costs. <u>Lee v. GNLV</u> <u>Corp.</u>, 116 Nev. 424, 996 P.2d 416 (2000). Here, the district court's order specifically states that the case remains open and active. Accordingly, as

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it appears that a final judgment has not been entered in the underlying case, we lack jurisdiction to consider this appeal and we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

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cc: Hon. Valorie J. Vega, District Judge Joseph F. Nascimento State Bar of Nevada/Las Vegas Eighth District Court Clerk

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