IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JAMES FRANCISCO NELSON A/K/A JAMES CONCEICAO, Appellant, vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA, Respondent. No. 59951

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is a proper person appeal from an order denying a motion for reduction of sentence. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; James M. Bixler, Judge.

The notice of appeal was untimely filed. NRAP 4(b); <u>Edwards</u> <u>v. State</u>, 112 Nev. 704, 918 P.2d 321 (1996). Because an untimely notice of appeal fails to vest jurisdiction in this court, <u>Lozada v. State</u>, 110 Nev. 349, 352, 871 P.2d 944, 946 (1994), we conclude that we lack jurisdiction to consider this appeal, and we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

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cc: Hon. James M. Bixler, District Judge James Francisco Nelson Attorney General/Carson City Clark County District Attorney Eighth District Court Clerk

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