

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

WILLIE LEE JAMES, JR. A/K/A  
WILLIE LEE JAMES,  
Appellant,  
vs.  
THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
Respondent.

No. 59952

**FILED**

**JAN 26 2012**

TRACIE K. LINDEMAN  
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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is a proper person appeal from an order of the district court denying a post-conviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Jerome T. Tao, Judge.

The notice of appeal was untimely filed. NRAP 4(b); NRS 34.575(1); NRAP 26(c). Because an untimely notice of appeal fails to vest jurisdiction in this court, Lozada v. State, 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.

*Douglas*, J.  
Douglas

*Gibbons*, J.  
Gibbons

*Parraguirre*, J.  
Parraguirre

cc: Hon. Jerome T. Tao, District Judge  
Willie L. James, Jr.  
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Eighth District Court Clerk