IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

DARL JOSEPH DUNLAP, Appellant, vs. JANET MARIE DUNLAP, Respondent. No. 35579

MAY 22 2002

12-08995

ORDER LIFTING STAY AND DISMISSING APPEAL

On June 22, 2000, this court ordered this appeal stayed pursuant to the mandatory provisions of federal bankruptcy law. <u>See 11</u> U.S.C. § 362(a). Thereafter, appellant filed a status report indicating that the "Bankruptcy Appellate Panel on October 9, 2001, ruled on the In Re Dunlap matter." Accordingly, as the bankruptcy matter has concluded, the automatic stay is no longer in effect and this appeal may proceed.

On March 14, 2002, the parties filed a stipulation to dismiss this appeal. We deferred ruling on the stipulation, pending appellant's payment of the filing fee. <u>See</u> NRAP 42(b) (stating that an appeal shall not be dismissed until the parties first pay whatever fees are due). Appellant paid the filing fee on April 22, 2002. Accordingly, pursuant to the stipulation of the parties and cause appearing, this appeal is dismissed. NRAP 42(b).

It is so ORDERED.

J. Yoi J. Agosti J. Leavitt

SUPREME COURT OF NEVADA cc: Hon. William O. Voy, District Judge, Family Court Division Thomas F. Christensen, Settlement Judge Donn M. Ianuzi II Marshal S. Willick Clark County Clerk

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