IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JOSEPH J. STEVENSON, Appellant, vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA, Respondent. No. 60862 FILED JUL 27 2012 TRACIE K. LINDEMAN CLERK OF SUPREME COURT

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is a proper person appeal from a decision of the district court to deny a presentence motion to withdraw a guilty plea. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Elissa F. Cadish, Judge.

No independent appeal lies from the decision to deny a presentence motion to withdraw a guilty plea. NRS 177.015(3). Rather, appellant may appeal from a final judgment, <u>see id.</u>, and raise claims arising from intermediate decisions of the court. NRS 177.045. At the time appellant filed his notice of appeal on May 8, 2012, no final decision judgment had been entered in this case. Accordingly, we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

J. Douglas J. Gibbons J. Parraguirre

cc: Hon. Elissa F. Cadish, District Judge Joseph J. Stevenson Attorney General/Carson City Clark County District Attorney Eighth District Court Clerk

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