

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MICHAEL PATRICK KEANE,
Appellant,
vs.
MELISSA ARMSTRONG,
Respondent.

No. 35796

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ORDER OF AFFIRMANCE

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CLERK OF SUPREME COURT
BY *J. Richard*
DEPUTY CLERK

This is an appeal from the district court's issuance of a permanent injunction prohibiting Michael Keane from contacting or approaching Scott Freeman and his family. Keane contends that the permanent injunction is improper. We disagree.

A court may issue a permanent injunction if there is a cognizable danger of irreparable harm.¹ Here, the family court issued a permanent injunction to protect Freeman and his family from Keane after Keane violated previous protective orders. We conclude that the district court did not abuse its discretion when it issued the permanent injunction based on the circumstances.²

Accordingly we,

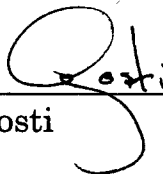
¹See NRCP 65(f).

²See A.L.M.N., Inc. v. Rosoff, 104 Nev. 274, 277, 757 P.2d 1319, 1321 (1988) (noting that imposition of a permanent injunction is normally reviewed for abuse of discretion so long as the court held a hearing on the injunction).

ORDER the judgment of the district court AFFIRMED.


_____, J.
Maupin


_____, J.
Rose


_____, J.
Agosti

cc: Hon. Norman C. Robison, Senior Judge
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