IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

DIANA S. EMERY, Petitioner,

vs.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CLARK; AND THE HONORABLE TIMOTHY C. WILLIAMS, DISTRICT JUDGE,

Respondents,

and

LAS VEGAS SANDS, LLC, A NEVADA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY D/B/A THE VENETIAN RESORT HOTEL CASINO/THE PALAZZO RESORT HOTEL CASINO, Real Parties in Interest. No. 63055

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ORDER DENYING PETITION FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS

This original petition for a writ of mandamus challenges a district court order denying petitioner's motion for a jury trial.

A writ of mandamus is available to compel the performance of an act that the law requires as a duty resulting from an office, trust, or station, or to control an arbitrary or capricious exercise of discretion. See NRS 34.160; Int'l Game Tech., Inc. v. Second Judicial Dist. Court, 124 Nev. 193, 197, 179 P.3d 556, 558 (2008). The issuance of a writ of mandamus is purely discretionary with this court. See Smith v. Eighth Judicial Dist. Court, 107 Nev. 674, 677, 818 P.2d 849, 851 (1991). Having

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considered the petition, we conclude that it should be denied. See id.; NRAP 21(b). We further deny as moot petitioner's April 23, 2013, stay motion.

It is so ORDERED.

Johans, J.

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Cherry, J

cc: Hon. Timothy C. Williams, District Judge Daniel J. Albregts, Ltd. Lewis & Roca, LLP/Las Vegas Eighth District Court Clerk