IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

STEVEN MICHAEL COX, Appellant, vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA, Respondent. No. 63351

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is a proper person appeal from a purported "order denying commutation/modification of life without parole sentence." Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Elissa F. Cadish, Judge.

Because no statute or court rule permits an appeal from an order denying a motion for commutation/modification of a life sentence, we lack jurisdiction. *Castillo v. State*, 106 Nev. 349, 352, 792 P.2d 1133, 1135 (1990). To the extent appellant is appealing the denial of his motion for modification of sentence, which was denied orally on December 10, 2012, and in a written order filed January 7, 2013, the notice of appeal was untimely filed. NRAP 4(b); NRAP 26(a). 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). For the foregoing reasons, we conclude that we lack jurisdiction to consider this appeal, and we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

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