## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MARC KAPLAN,

Petitioner,

vs.

SHERIFF, CLARK COUNTY, JERRY KELLER; LAS VEGAS JUSTICE COURT AND THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CLARK,

Respondents.

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## ORDER DENYING PETITION

## FOR WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS

This is a proper person petition for a writ of habeas corpus prepared and signed by Patrick Christopher, Lear [sic] on behalf of petitioner Marc Kaplan.

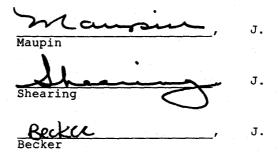
NRAP 46 provides, in pertinent part, as follows:

(a) **Practice Before Supreme Court - Bar Membership Required; Exceptions.** No person may practice law before the Supreme Court who is not an active member of the State Bar of Nevada except as provided by SCR 42...

(b) **Appearances in Proper Person.** With leave of the Supreme Court, a party may file, in proper person, written briefs and papers submitted in accordance with these rules.

It appears that Mr. Lear is not an active member of the Nevada State Bar, nor has he complied with provisions of SCR 42. Mr. Lear may not file a petition on behalf of Mr. Kaplan in this court. Accordingly, we deny this petition.

It is so ORDERED.



cc: Las Vegas Justice Court Clark County District Attorney Patrick Christopher, Lear Marc Kaplan Las Vegas Justice Court Clerk

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