

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

CARL DEAN EDWARDS,
Appellant,
vs.
SHIRLEY KIERSTEIN,
Respondent.

No. 70162

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is an appeal from an order denying appellant's motion for discovery. Fifth Judicial District Court, Nye County; Kimberly A. Wanker, Judge.

Our preliminary review of the documents submitted to this court pursuant to NRAP 3(g) reveals a potential jurisdictional defect. Specifically, it appears that the judgment or order designated in the notice of appeal is not substantively appealable. See NRAP 3A(b). This court has jurisdiction to consider an appeal only when the appeal is authorized by statute or court rule. *Taylor Constr. Co. v. Hilton Hotels*, 100 Nev. 207, 678 P.2d 1152 (1984). No statute or court rule provides for an appeal from an order denying a motion for discovery. Accordingly, we conclude that we lack jurisdiction and we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

Douglas, J.
Douglas

Cherry, J.
Cherry

Gibbons, J.
Gibbons

cc: Hon. Kimberly A. Wanker, District Judge
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