

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF THE
GUARDIANSHIP OF THE PERSON
AND ESTATE OF LUCILLE Y. HOLLIS,

No. 37083

RUSH HOLLIS,

Appellant,

vs.

LINDA L. HALEY,

Respondent.

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is an appeal from an order of the district court denying appellant's objection to the special hearing master's recommendation regarding the appointment of a guardian. On August 1, 2001, we ordered appellant to show cause within thirty days why this appeal should not be dismissed for lack of jurisdiction. We noted that the October 17, 2000 order did not appear substantively appealable, as it was unclear whether the order affected the rights of the parties growing out of the final judgment.¹ Moreover, we cautioned appellant that failure to demonstrate jurisdiction could result in dismissal. Appellant has failed to respond to our order to show cause. We elect to treat appellant's silence as a concession that this court lacks jurisdiction over this appeal. Accordingly, we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.²

Young J.
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Leavitt J.
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¹See Wilkinson v. Wilkinson, 73 Nev. 143, 311 P.2d 735 (1957).

²On July 16, 2001, we ordered respondent to retain counsel and file an answering brief or to inform this court in writing that she did not intend to retain counsel. Respondent has not responded to our order. In light of this order, we vacate our July 16, 2001 order.

cc: Hon. William O. Voy, District Judge,
Family Court Division
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