IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ALAN BIGELOW,

Appellant,

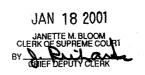
vs.

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WANDA BIGELOW,

Respondent.

NO. 37176



ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is a proper person appeal from a final divorce decree. Our review of the documents transmitted to this court pursuant to NRAP 3(e) reveals a jurisdictional defect. Specifically, the notice of appeal is untimely. Notice of entry of the order appealed from was served on October 25, 2000, by mail. A notice of appeal was therefore due no later than November 27, 2000. <u>See</u> NRAP 4(a)(1) (providing that a notice of appeal must be filed within thirty days of service of notice of entry of the order appealed from); NRAP 26(c) (providing that three days are added where service is by mail). The notice of appeal was filed on December 11, 2000, well beyond the time limit for filing a notice of appeal. <u>See</u> <u>id.</u> An untimely notice of appeal fails to vest jurisdiction in this court. <u>See</u> Rust v. Clark Cty. School District, 103 Nev. 686, 747 P.2d 1380 (1987).

Accordingly, as we lack jurisdiction over this appeal, we

ORDER this appeal dismissed.

Shearing O		J.,
Agosti	·	J.
Leavitt	/	J.

cc: Hon. William O. Voy, District Judge, Family Court Division Alan Bigelow Wanda Bigelow Clark County Clerk

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