IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ASA JAVON BROWN,

Appellant,

THE STATE OF NEVADA.

Respondent.

No. 80669

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is a pro se appeal from a purported district court order denying a postconviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Douglas W. Herndon, Judge.

This court's review of this appeal reveals a jurisdictional defect. The documents before this court indicate that a petition has not been filed in district court case number C-16-319881, the case number designated in this notice of appeal. Thus, this appeal is premature. See NRS 177.015(3) (stating that a defendant only may appeal from a final judgment or verdict). In addition, it does not appear from the district court docket and minute

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entries that the district court has entered any appealable order. Accordingly, this court

ORDERS this appeal DISMISSED.1

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cc: Hon. Douglas W. Herndon, District Judge Asa Javon Brown Attorney General/Carson City

Clark County District Attorney Eighth District Court Clerk

¹It appears that a postconviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus was orally denied on February 26, 2020, in related district court case number A-19-807401-W. Appellant may file an appeal in that district court case number after a written judgment or order is filed.