

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

TIMOTHY LEA,

No. 37410

Appellant,

vs.

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THE STATE OF NEVADA, DEPARTMENT OF
HUMAN RESOURCES, WELFARE DIVISION,

MAR 14 2001

Respondent.

JANETTE M. BLOOM
CLERK OF SUPREME COURT
BY: *J. Ruback*
CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is a proper person appeal from a notice of parental responsibility filed in the district court. Our review of the documentation before this court reveals a jurisdictional defect. Specifically, the notice of parental responsibility is not a district court order, and thus no appeal may be taken from it.¹ Accordingly, as we lack jurisdiction, we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.²

Shearing

Shearing J.

Agosti

Agosti J.

Rose

Rose J.

cc: Hon. Gene T. Porter, Chief District Judge
Attorney General
Timothy Lea
Clark County Clerk

¹NRAP 3A(b); Taylor Constr. Co. v. Hilton Hotels, 100 Nev. 207, 678 P.2d 1152 (1984) (noting that no appeal may be taken unless authorized by statute or rule).

²We note that appellant failed to pay the filing fee required by NRS 2.250. This constitutes an independent basis for dismissing this appeal.