

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF THE PARENTAL
RIGHTS AS TO Q. L. R.

No. 37609

ROGER DOUGLAS R.,

Appellant,

vs.

DINA L. M.,

Respondent.

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

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is a proper person appeal from an interlocutory order granting and denying several motions by appellant, pending a trial set for April 24, 2001. Specifically, the district court granted appellant's motion to be produced by the Department of Prisons for trial, denied his motion to continue the trial pending an appeal in his criminal case, and denied his motion to remove counsel for respondent.

Our review of the documents transmitted to this court pursuant to NRAP 3(e) reveals several jurisdictional defects. First, only an aggrieved party may appeal.¹ Appellant clearly is not aggrieved by that portion of the district court's order granting his motion to be produced for trial, and so he may not appeal from this portion of the order.

¹NRAP 3A(a).

Next, this court has jurisdiction to consider an appeal only when the appeal is authorized by statute or court rule.² No rule or statute provides for an appeal from an order denying a motion to continue trial,³ or from an order denying a motion to remove counsel.⁴ Accordingly, as we lack jurisdiction, we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

Young, J.
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Leavitt, J.
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Becker, J.
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cc: Hon. William O. Voy, District Judge
Family Court Division
Paul M. Gaudet
Roger Douglas R.
Clark County Clerk

²Taylor Constr. Co. v. Hilton Hotels, 100 Nev. 207, 678 P.2d 1152 (1984).

³NRAP 3A(b)(2); Lucas v. Page, 89 Nev. 248, 249, 510 P.2d 868, 869 (1973); see also Summerfield v. Coca Cola Bottling Co., 113 Nev. 1291, 948 P.2d 704 (1997).

⁴NRAP 3A(b)(2).