

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

THOMAS R. CROCKETT,

No. 38348

Appellant,

vs.

DIRECTOR, NEVADA DEPARTMENT
OF PRISONS, JACKIE CRAWFORD,

Respondent.

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

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

Appellant purports to appeal in proper person from an order of the district court denying a petition for a writ of mandamus in district court case number C143422. Our review of this appeal reveals a jurisdictional defect. The documents before this court indicate that at the time appellant filed his notice of appeal, appellant had not filed a petition for a writ of mandamus in district court case number C143422, and consequently, the district court had not ruled on any petition. In fact, the documents before this court indicate that no activity has occurred in district court case number C143422 since August 6, 1998. Appellant has failed to designate an appealable order, thus we conclude that we lack jurisdiction to consider this appeal, and we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

Shearing J.
Shearing

Rose J.
Rose

Becker J.
Becker

cc: Hon. John S. McGroarty, District Judge
Attorney General
Thomas R. Crockett
Clark County Clerk