

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

VIRGIL WALKER WOODS, JR.,
Appellant,
vs.
WARDEN S.D.C.C. AND THE STATE
OF NEVADA,
Respondents.

No. 89430-COA

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

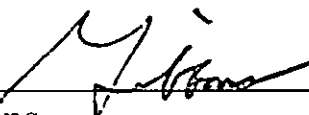
Virgil Walker Woods, Jr. appeals from a district court order denying a postconviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed on April 3, 2018, a “first amended pro per” petition filed on June 21, 2018, and supplemental petitions filed on October 12, 2020, and March 29, 2023. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Michelle Leavitt, Judge.

Our review of this appeal reveals a jurisdictional defect. Woods previously appealed from a November 23, 2020, district court order purportedly denying Woods’ petitions. *See Woods v. State*, No. 82184-COA, 2021 WL 3509235 (Nev. Ct. App. Aug. 9, 2021) (Order Dismissing Appeal). In this court’s order of dismissal, we determined that the November 23, 2020, order was not a final order because it did not address claims Woods raised in his “first amended pro per” petition. *See id.* at *1. This court instructed that “[t]he final order should also include the disposition of Woods’ claim regarding the jury instructions, which was addressed only in the minute order of the district court’s October 12, 2020, hearing.” *Id.* at *1 n.1. However, the district court’s October 2, 2024, order, which is the subject of the instant appeal, does not include a disposition of Woods’ claim regarding the jury instructions. The order was thus not a final order. *See*

Sandstrom v. Second Jud. Dist. Ct., 121 Nev. 657, 659, 119 P.3d 1250, 1252 (2005) (“[A] final order [is] one that disposes of all issues and leaves nothing for future consideration.”). Accordingly, we lack jurisdiction to consider this appeal. See NRS 34.575(1); NRS 177.015(3). Based on the foregoing, we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.


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