## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JERRY LEE BASS, Appellant, vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA. Respondent.

No. 38443

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## ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

Appellant has filed a motion to dismiss this appeal The motion is accompanied by a signed declaration of voluntarily. appellant which indicates that appellant's counsel of record has explained the consequences of dismissal to appellant and that appellant has agreed with counsel that the most appropriate legal strategy at this point is to pursue a post-conviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus in the district court. Accordingly, cause appearing, the motion is granted, and we hereby

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.<sup>1</sup>

J.

<sup>1</sup>In lieu of the issuance of the remittitur, we conclude that the oneyear period for filing a post-conviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus in the district court under NRS 34.726(1) shall commence to run from the date of this order.

cc: Hon. Sally L. Loehrer, District Judge Hinds & Morey Attorney General/Carson City Clark County District Attorney Clark County Clerk