

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

SHAWN MICHAEL THOMAS,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 38949

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This appeal is subject to the provisions of Nevada Rule of Appellate Procedure 3C. Our preliminary review of this appeal revealed a potential jurisdictional defect. Specifically, appellant appeared to be appealing from his guilty plea, and this appeal therefore appeared to be premature.

Accordingly, on January 18, 2002, this court ordered appellant's counsel to show cause why this appeal should not be dismissed for lack of jurisdiction. Counsel for appellant has failed to respond to this court's order. We therefore conclude that we lack jurisdiction, and we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

Young

Young J.

Agosti

Agosti J.

Leavitt

Leavitt J.

cc: Hon. Janet J. Berry, District Judge
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