IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

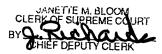
SPENCER ROY HOWARD, Appellant, vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA, Respondent.

No. 39025

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL



This is an appeal from an order of the district court setting bail. Our review of this appeal revealed a potential jurisdictional defect. Specifically, the right to appeal is statutory; where no statute or court rule provides for an appeal, no right to appeal exists. No statute or court rule provides for an appeal from an order setting bail. Accordingly, on February 20, 2002, this court ordered appellant's counsel to show cause why this appeal should not be dismissed.

¹Castillo v. State, 106 Nev. 349, 792 P.2d 1133 (1990).

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On March 4, 2002, counsel filed a response to this court's order. In the response, counsel concedes that an order setting bail is not appealable. We therefore conclude that we lack jurisdiction, and we ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

Young, J.
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Leavitt J.

cc: Hon. John S. McGroarty, District Judge Attorney General/Carson City Clark County District Attorney Clark County Public Defender Clark County Clerk