IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MATILDE CAMACHO MATHIAS, Petitioner, vs. THE SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LANDER, AND THE HONORABLE JERRY V. SULLIVAN, DISTRICT JUDGE, Respondents, and ARTURO LEONARDO MATHIAS GAMBOR, Real Party in Interest. No. 39229 FEEE MAR 05 2002 JANETIE M BLOOM CLERK OF SUPREME COURT SY OHIEF DEPUTY CLERK

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ORDER DENYING PETITION FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS

This is an original petition for a writ of mandamus challenging a district court order that granted a motion to change custody of the minor child. A writ of mandamus may be available if there is no plain, speedy and adequate remedy at law.¹ An appeal is an adequate remedy, precluding writ relief.² Here, an order granting a motion to change custody is an appealable order, and it appears that the time in which an

¹NRS 34.170.

²See <u>Guerin v. Guerin</u>, 114 Nev. 127, 953 P.2d 716 (1998), <u>abrogated</u> on other grounds by <u>Pengilly v. Rancho Santa Fe Homeowners</u>, 116 Nev. 646, 5 P.3d 569 (2000).

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appeal may be taken has not yet expired.³ Accordingly, we deny this petition.

It is so ORDERED.

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cc: Hon. Jerry V. Sullivan, District Judge Stringfield Law Offices William E. Schaeffer Lander County Clerk

³NRAP 3A(b)(2); NRAP 4(a)(1).

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