

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JAILBUSTERS, INC., A NEVADA CORPORATION; QWIK BAIL BONDS, A NEVADA CORPORATION; AND DONALD VINCENT, INDIVIDUALLY,
Appellants,

vs.

CITY OF LAS VEGAS AND LAS VEGAS MUNICIPAL COURT, POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA; LAS VEGAS MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGES TOY R. GREGORY, MICHELLE FITZPATRICK, JESSIE WALSH, BERT BROWN, CEDRIC A. KERNS AND ELIZABETH KOLKOSKI; LAURA WADDELL, COURT CLERK; JAMES P. CARMANY, MUNICIPAL COURT ADMINISTRATOR; CLARK COUNTY AND JUSTICE COURT, LAS VEGAS TOWNSHIP, POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, AND JUSTICES OF THE PEACE D.J. LIPPIS, D.E. SMITH, T. L. ABBATANGELO, J.M. BIXLER, W. D. JANSEN, N.C. OESTERLE, J.P. TOGLIATTI, AND A. E. ZIMMERMAN; STEVE MORRIS, JUSTICE COURT ADMINISTRATOR; MARTIN P. LOTZ, COURT CLERK; AND WENDY L. REDFIELD,

Respondents.

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CLERK OF SUPREME COURT
BY *J. Richard*
CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE AND ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

The settlement judge has filed a report determining that appellants failed to participate in good faith in the settlement conference process. See NRAP 16(g). Specifically, the settlement judge reports that

appellants failed to submit the confidential settlement statement as required under NRAP 16(d). The settlement judge further reports that despite repeated attempts on his part to communicate with appellants' counsel, Laura E. Ungaro, Ms. Ungaro never returned any of his calls or otherwise communicated with him.


Under NRAP 16(f), the failure of a party or the party's counsel to participate in good faith in the settlement conference process is grounds for sanctions. Accordingly, appellants shall have 15 days from the date of this order to show cause why this court should not impose sanctions pursuant to the settlement judge's determination. See NRAP 16(g).


This appeal was docketed on May 30, 2002. Because the notice of appeal was not accompanied by the requisite proof of service, on June 4, 2002, the clerk of this court issued a notice directing appellants to file proof of service of the notice of appeal within 10 days. See NRAP 25(1)(b). Further, the docketing statement was required to be filed by June 14, 2002. See NRAP 14(b). Because appellants had not filed the requisite proof of service or the docketing statement, on August 7, 2002, this court entered an order directing appellants to file the necessary documents within 10 days. Because appellants still had not filed these documents, on September 11, 2002, this court entered another order directing appellants to file these documents within 10 days.

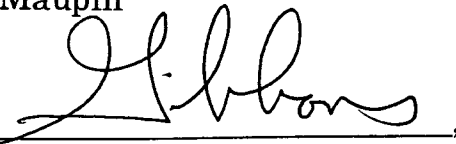
To date, appellants have failed to comply with this court's notice issued on June 4, 2002, and orders entered on August 7, 2002, and

September 11, 2002, or otherwise communicate with this court.
Accordingly, we dismiss this appeal as abandoned. See NRAP 14(c).

It is so ORDERED.


_____, J.
Rose


_____, J.
Maupin


_____, J.
Gibbons

cc: Hon. Ronald D. Parraguirre, District Judge
Lansford W. Levitt, Settlement Judge
Laura E. Ungaro
Clark County District Attorney David J. Roger/Civil Division
Las Vegas City Attorney
Clark County Clerk