

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

DONTA KARL RATCLIFF,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 39889

FILED

JUL 29 2002

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

JANETTE M. BLOOM
CLERK OF SUPREME COURT
BY *J. Richards*
CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK

This is a proper person appeal from a judgment of conviction. Our review of this appeal indicates that the district court entered the judgment of conviction on August 23, 2001. Appellant did not file the notice of appeal, however, until July 8, 2002, well after the expiration of the thirty-day appeal period prescribed by NRAP 4(b). An untimely notice of appeal fails to vest jurisdiction in this court.¹ Accordingly, we conclude that we lack jurisdiction to consider this appeal, and we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

Young, J.

Young

Agosti, J.

Agosti

Leavitt, J.

Leavitt

¹See Lozada v. State, 110 Nev. 349, 871 P.2d 944 (1994).

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