

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ROGER W. HOLCOMBE,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA EX REL. ITS
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS,
Respondent.

No. 41782

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

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

This appeal was docketed in this court on July 21, 2003. On July 29, 2003, this court issued a notice that, among other things, informed appellant that the docketing statement was due to be filed within 15 days from the docketing of the appeal, i.e., by August 5, 2003. See NRAP 14(b). Because appellant failed to file the docketing statement, on August 26, 2003, this court entered an order directing appellant to file the required document within 10 days. We cautioned appellant that failure to comply timely with that order could result in the imposition of sanctions, including dismissal of this appeal as abandoned.

On October 2, 2003, this court entered an order reinstating briefing, as the parties were unable to agree to a settlement of this appeal. That order also directed appellant to comply with NRAP 9(a) within 15 days. Further, because appellant had still not filed the docketing statement, that order also directed appellant to file the docketing statement within 10 days or show cause why sanctions, including dismissal of this appeal, should not be imposed.

To date, appellant has failed to comply with NRAP 9(a), failed to file the docketing statement, and failed to respond to our previous

notice and orders or otherwise communicate with this court. We therefore order this appeal dismissed as abandoned. See NRAP 9(a)(3); NRAP 14(c).

It is so ORDERED.

Becker _____, J.
Becker

Shearing _____, J.
Shearing

Gibbons _____, J.
Gibbons

cc: Hon. Michael R. Griffin, District Judge
Jeffrey A. Dickerson
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