## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

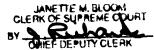
LINDA R. CLARK, F/K/A LINDA CLARK TANNER,
Appellant,
vs.
NOEL SPENCER TANNER,
Respondent.

No. 41878

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## ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL



This proper person appeal challenges an order of the district court denying appellant's motion for a peremptory challenge. Our review of the documents transmitted under NRAP 3(e) reveals a jurisdictional defect. An appeal may be taken only when authorized by statute or court rule. Here, no statute or rule permits an appeal from an order denying a peremptory challenge. As we lack jurisdiction to consider this appeal, we dismiss it. 2

It is so ORDERED.

Becker J.

Shearing

Gibbons

<sup>1</sup>Taylor Constr. Co. v. Hilton Hotels, 100 Nev. 207, 678 P.2d 1152 (1984).

<sup>2</sup>Although appellant was not granted leave to proceed in proper person, see NRAP 46(b), we have received and considered appellant's proper person documents. We deny as most her motion to dismiss this appeal. We note that appellant's failure to pay the fees on appeal could constitute an independent basis on which to dismiss this appeal.

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cc: Hon. John P. Davis, District Judge Linda R. Clark Harold Kuehn Nye County Clerk