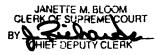
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

KENNETH WAYNE DORSEY,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 41987

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL



This is an appeal from an order of the district court directing the clerk of the district court not to file documents received in proper person from appellant. Our review of this appeal revealed a potential jurisdictional defect. The right to appeal is statutory; where no statute or court rule provides for an appeal, no right to appeal exists. No statute or court rule provides for an appeal from an order directing the clerk of the court not to file documents.

On September 10, 2003, this court ordered appellant's counsel to show cause within twenty (20) days why this appeal should not be dismissed. Counsel has failed to respond to this court's order to show

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¹Castillo v. State, 106 Nev. 349, 792 P.2d 1133 (1990).

cause. We conclude that we lack jurisdiction to entertain this appeal, and we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

Rose, J.

J.

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Maupin J.

cc: Hon. James W. Hardesty, District Judge Kenneth Wayne Dorsey

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