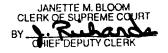
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

PARICHER ADLI,
Appellant,
vs.
MICHAEL V. STUHFF, ESQ.,
Respondent.

No. 42142

OCT 23 2003



ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This proper person appeal is taken from a minute order granting defendant's motion for summary judgment. Our review of the documents transmitted under NRAP 3(e) reveals a jurisdiction defect. Only a formal written order may be appealed, and a notice of appeal is ineffective if filed after the court's oral pronouncement of a decision but before written judgment is entered. As we noted in Rust v. Clark County School District, "[p]rior to the entry of a final judgment the district court remains free to reconsider and issue a written judgment different from its oral pronouncement." As appellant's notice of appeal was filed before the district court entered a formal written order, it is ineffective and fails to

 $^{{}^{1}}NRAP \ 4(a)(1).$

²103 Nev. 686, 688, 747 P.2d 1380, 1382 (1987).

vest jurisdiction in this court. We therefore dismiss this appeal for lack of jurisdiction.

It is so ORDERED.

Becker, J.

Shearing J.
Gibbons

cc: Hon. Valorie Vega, District Judge Paricher Adli Michael V. Stuhff Clark County Clerk