IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

CHRISTOPHER M. WILLIAMS, Appellant, vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA, Respondent. No. 42240

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is a proper person appeal from an order of the district court denying a post-conviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus. Our review of this appeal indicates that the district court entered its order denying appellant's petition on August 21, 2003. The district court served notice of entry of that order on appellant on September 10, 2003. Appellant did not file the notice of appeal, however, until October 21, 2003, after the expiration of the thirty-day appeal period prescribed by NRS 34.575. 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.

J. Becker

J. Shearing J.

Gibbons

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

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