

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

LESTER GAMBLE,  
Appellant,  
vs.  
THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
Respondent.

No. 47231

**FILED**

MAY 26 2006

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

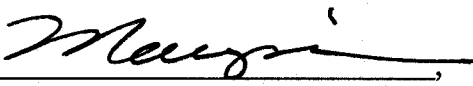
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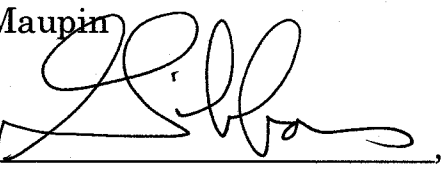
This is a proper person appeal from a decision of the district court purportedly granting post-conviction relief and correcting appellant's sentence. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Joseph Bonaventure, Judge.

This court's review of this appeal reveals a jurisdictional defect. The district court had not made a decision, oral or written, on appellant's motion to correct an illegal sentence at the time he filed his notice of appeal. We conclude that appellant's notice of appeal was premature, and we dismiss this appeal without prejudice to appellant's right to file a timely appeal from a final, written order denying his

motion.<sup>1</sup> Accordingly, we conclude that we lack jurisdiction to consider this appeal, and we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.

  
\_\_\_\_\_, J.  
Maupin

  
\_\_\_\_\_, J.  
Gibbons

  
\_\_\_\_\_, J.  
Hardesty

cc: Hon. Joseph Bonaventure, District Judge  
Lester Gamble  
Attorney General George Chanos/Carson City  
Clark County District Attorney David J. Roger  
Clark County Clerk

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<sup>1</sup>See NRAP 4(b)(1).