

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

FRANK ORTIZ,
Appellant,
vs.
JOYCE A. ORTIZ,
Respondent.

No. 49696

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

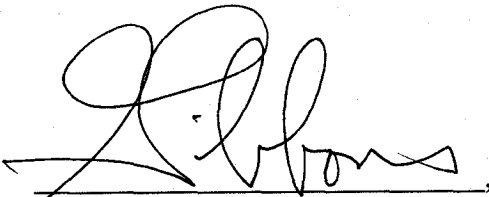
This is a proper person appeal from a district court order denying appellant's request to hold his own counsel in contempt. Eighth Judicial District Court, Family Court Division, Clark County; Cheryl B. Moss, Judge.

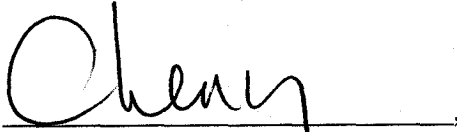
After reviewing the documents transmitted pursuant to NRAP 3(e), appellant's civil proper person appeal statement and his July 11, 2007 letter, we conclude that this court does not have jurisdiction over this appeal. No rule or statute provides for an appeal from a contempt order;¹

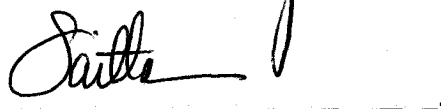
¹See NRAP 3A(b) (listing appealable orders).

rather, the proper mode of review is by a writ petition.² Accordingly, we dismiss this appeal.³

It is so ORDERED.


_____, J.
Gibbons


_____, J.
Cherry


_____, J.
Saitta

cc: Hon. Cheryl B. Moss, District Judge, Family Court Division
Frank Ortiz
Amesbury & Schutt
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²Pengilly v. Rancho Santa Fe Homeowners, 116 Nev. 646, 5 P.3d 569 (2000).

³In light of this order, we deny as moot appellant's transcript request filed on July 11, 2007.