

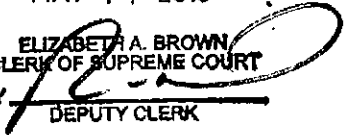
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ROBERT SAMUEL LAWRENCE,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 76873-COA

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ORDER OF AFFIRMANCE

Robert Samuel Lawrence appeals from a judgment of conviction entered pursuant to an *Alford*¹ plea of sexually motivated coercion. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Joseph Hardy, Jr., Judge.


Lawrence argues the district court erred by denying his motion to reopen sentence that he filed after entry of the judgment of conviction. Lawrence is appealing from a judgment of conviction. However, he is challenging events that occurred after the judgment of conviction was entered. Therefore, his claim is not properly raised in this appeal and we decline to consider it. *See* NRS 177.015(3). As Lawrence has not challenged


¹*North Carolina v. Alford*, 400 U.S. 25 (1970).

the proceedings leading to the judgment of conviction or the judgment of conviction itself, we

ORDER the judgment of conviction AFFIRMED.²


_____, C.J.
Gibbons


_____, J.
Tao


_____, J.
Bulla

cc: Hon. Joseph Hardy, Jr., District Judge
Gary A. Modafferi
Attorney General/Carson City
Clark County District Attorney
Eighth District Court Clerk

²To the extent Lawrence attempts to appeal from the district court order denying the motion to reopen sentence, this court lacks jurisdiction to consider such an appeal because no statute or court rule permits an appeal from an order denying such a motion. *See Castillo v. State*, 106 Nev. 349, 352, 792 P.2d 1133, 1135 (1990) (explaining the right to appeal is statutory; where no statute or court rule provides for an appeal, no right to appeal exists).