

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

THOMAS C. HILL, INDIVIDUALLY,  
Appellant,

vs.

SERINA TULILI LEIATAUA,  
INDIVIDUALLY,

Respondent.

No. 80048 ✓

THOMAS C. HILL, INDIVIDUALLY,  
Appellant,

vs.

SERINA TULILI LEIATAUA,  
INDIVIDUALLY,

Respondent.

No. 80101

**FILED**

**FEB 28 2020**

ELIZABETH A. BROWN  
CLERK OF SUPREME COURT  
BY S. Yocum  
DEPUTY CLERK

**ORDER DISMISSING APPEALS**

On February 12, 2020, appellant filed a letter<sup>1</sup> regarding notice of settlement in these two matters, which we elect to treat as a motion to dismiss these appeals. Cause appearing, the motion is granted, and these appeals are dismissed. NRAP 42(b).

It is so ORDERED.

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT  
ELIZABETH A. BROWN

BY Harriet  
Summers

<sup>1</sup> Counsel for appellant is advised that the proper way to communicate with the court is by way of a formal motion, not by way of a letter. See *Weddell v. Stewart*, 127 Nev. 645, 652 n.8, 261 P.3d 1080, 1085 n.8 (2011).

cc: Hon. Michael A. Cherry, Senior Justice  
Hon. Nancy L. Alf, District Judge  
Ara H. Shirinian, Settlement Judge  
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