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October 26, 2017

Elizabeth A. Brown Clerk of the Court 201 South Carson Street, Suite 201 Carson City, Nevada 89701-4702

RE: STATE OF NEVADA vs. JACK LEAL **S.C. CASE: 74050** D.C. CASE: C-17-322664-2

Dear Ms. Brown:

In response to the e-mail dated October 26, 2017, enclosed is a certified copy of the Case Appeal Statement filed October 3, 2017 in the above referenced case. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at (702) 671-0512.

Sincerely,

STEVEN D. GRIERSON, CLERK OF THE COURT

Heather Ungermann, Deputy Clerk

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**NOASC** 1 CRAIG A. MUELLER, Esq. Nevada Bar No. 4703 MUELLER, HINDS & ASSOCIATES, CHTD. 600 South Eighth Street 3 Las Vegas, NV 89101 P: (702) 940-1234 4 F: (702) 940-1235 Attorney for Appellant 5 JACK LEAL 6 7 **DISTRICT COURT CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA** 8 THE STATE OF NEVADA Case No.: C-17-322664-2 9 Dept. No: 17 Respondent-Plaintiff, 10 vs. CASE APPEAL STATEMENT 11 JACK LEAL 12 Appellant-Defendant. 13 Comes now, JACK LEAL, by and through his attorneys of the firm Mueller Hinds & 14 Associates, Chtd., and hereby files this Case Appeal Statement. 15 16 17 DATED this 3rd day of October 2017. 18 MUELLER, HINDS & ASSOCIATES, CHTD. 19 /s/ Craig A. Mueller 20 CRAIG A. MUELLER Nevada Bar No. 4703 21 MUELLER, HINDS & ASSOCIATES, CHTD. 600 South Eighth Street 22 Las Vegas, NV 89101 P: (702) 940-1234 23 F: (702) 940-1235 Attorney for Appellant 24 25 26 27 28

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Name of appellant filing this case appeal statement: 1 2 Jack Leal Identify the judge issuing the decision, judgment, or order appealed from: 3 Hon. M. Villani 4 5 Identify each appellant and the name and address of counsel for each appellant: Jack Leal, Appellant 6 Craig A. Mueller, Esq., Counsel for Appellant 7 Mueller Hinds & Associates, CHTD 8 600 S. Eighth St. 9 10 Las Vegas, NV 89101 Identify each respondent and the name and address of appellate counsel, if known, for each 11 respondent (if the name of a respondent's appellate counsel is unknown, indicate as much and 12 provide the name and address of that respondent's trial counsel): 13 14 State of Nevada, Respondent 15 Adam P. Laxalt, Esq. Michael C. Kovac, Esq. 16 Office of the Attorney General 555 E. Washington Ave, Suite 3900 17 Las Vegas, NV 89101 18 19 Indicate whether any attorney identified above in response to question 3 or 4 is not licensed 20 to practice law in Nevada and, if so, whether the district court granted that attorney permission to 21 appear under <u>SCR 42</u> (attach a copy of any district court order granting such permission): 22 NA 23 Indicate whether appellant was represented by appointed or retained counsel in the district 24 court: 25 **Appointed Counsel** 26 Indicate whether appellant is represented by appointed or retained counsel on appeal: 27 Retained Counsel 28

8. Indicate whether appellant was granted leave to proceed in forma pauperis, and the date of entry of the district court order granting such leave:
NA
9. Indicate the date the proceedings commenced in the district court (e.g., date complaint, indictment, information, or petition was filed):

The Information was filed on April 18, 2017 in district court.

10. Provide a brief description of the nature of the action and result in the district court, including the type of judgment or order being appealed and the relief granted by the district court:

Appellant was convicted pursuant to a guilty plea agreement of Multiple Transactions Involving Fraud or Deceit in the Course of an Enterprise and Occupation under NRS 205.377. Appellant was sentenced to a maximum of 180 months with a minimum parole eligibility of 72 months and \$757,420.00 in restitution. The Judgment of Conviction was entered on August 23, 2017. The judgment of conviction and sentence are being appealed.

11. Indicate whether the case has previously been the subject of an appeal to or original writ proceeding in the Supreme Court and, if so, the caption and Supreme Court docket number of the prior proceeding:

NA

12. Indicate whether this appeal involves child custody or visitation:

NA

13. If this is a civil case, indicate whether this appeal involves the possibility of settlement:

NA

Dated this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2017. MUELLER, HINDS & ASSOCIATES, CHTD.

/s/ Craig A. Mueller

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1	<u>CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE</u>
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3	I hereby certify that on the 3rd day of October 2017, I served a true and correct copy of this Case
4	Appeal Statement via the Odyssey/Wiznet service list to:
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6	State of Nevada, Respondent Adam P. Laxalt, Esq.
7	Michael C. Kovac, Esq. Office of the Attorney General
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11	/s/ Giselle D. Villa
12	Employee of Mueller Hinds & Associates, Chtd.
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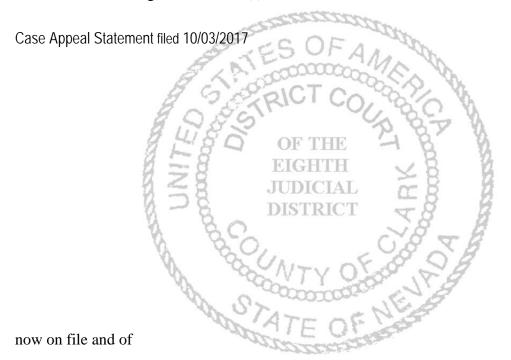


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## **CERTIFICATION OF COPY**

**Steven D. Grierson**, the Clerk of the Court of the Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County, State of Nevada, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, full, and correct copy of the hereinafter stated original document(s):



**In witness whereof,** I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Eighth Judicial District Court at my office, Las Vegas, Nevada, at 10:38 AM on October 26, 2017.

STEVEN D. GRIERSON, CLERK OF THE COURT