## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MICHAEL DAMON RIPPO, Appellant, vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA, Respondent. No. 53626

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## ORDER GRANTING MOTION

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This is an appeal from a district court order denying a postconviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus in a death penalty case. Respondent has requested permission to file an answering brief in excess of 30 pages. Cause appearing, the motion is granted. NRAP 28(g); SCR 250(7)(c). The clerk of this court shall file the answering brief received on March 22, 2010, via E-Flex. Appellant shall have 30 days from the date of this order to file the reply brief.

It is so ORDERED.

C.J.

cc: Federal Public Defender/Las Vegas Attorney General/Carson City Clark County District Attorney

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