IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ROBERT SCOTLUND VAILE, Petitioner,

vs.

and

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CLARK, AND THE HONORABLE CHERYL MOSS, DISTRICT JUDGE, FAMILY COURT DIVISION, Respondents,

CISILIE A. PORSBOLL F/K/A CISILIE A. VAILE, Real Party in Interest. FILED FEB 19 2010 TRACIE K. LINDEMAN CLERK OF SUPREME COURT BY S. Y. JEPUTY CLERK

No. 55446

ORDER GRANTING TEMPORARY STAY AND DIRECTING ANSWER

This original proper person petition for a writ of mandamus or prohibition challenges a district court oral ruling that requires petitioner to deposit funds with the court or be held in contempt. Petitioner has also submitted an emergency motion to expedite consideration of the petition in light of a March 8, 2010, deadline for depositing the funds, as well as a hearing set for that date.¹ Having reviewed the petition, motion, and exhibits, we conclude that a temporary stay of the district court's requirement that petitioner deposit funds with the district court is warranted, pending receipt and review of real party in interest's opposition. Accordingly, we temporarily stay that portion of the district

¹We direct the clerk of this court to file the proper person motion provisionally received on February 17, 2010.

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court's ruling that requires petitioner to deposit funds with the district court, pending further order of this court.² No other proceedings are stayed, and the hearing currently set for March 8, 2010, may be held as scheduled.

Also, having reviewed the petition, it appears that petitioner has set forth issues of arguable merit and that petitioner may have no plain, speedy, and adequate remedy in the ordinary course of the law. Therefore, the real party in interest, on behalf of respondents, shall have 30 days from the date of this order within which to file an answer, including authorities, against issuance of the requested writ, limited to the issue of whether the 2003 attorney fees judgment was properly renewed as required by statute and this court's precedent.

It is so ORDERED.

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²Real party in interest's opposition to the stay motion is due by March 2, 2010.

SUPREME COURT OF NEVADA cc: Hon. Cheryl B. Moss, District Judge, Family Court Division Robert Scotlund Vaile Willick Law Group Eighth District Court Clerk

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