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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADAM 3: 56

INDICATE FULL CAPTION:

LUIS A. HIDALGO, JR.

Appellant,

vs.

THE STATE OF NEVADA,

Respondent.

No. 54209

DOCKETING STATEMENT CRIMINAL APPEALS

(Including appeals from pretrial and postconviction rulings and other requests for post-

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conviction relief)

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GENERAL INFORMATION

 1. Judicial District
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 Judge
 Valerie Adair
 District
 Ct Case No.
 C212667/C241394

- 2. If the defendant was given a sentence,
 - (a) what is the sentence?

12 months Clark County Detention Center, Count 1 - Conspiracy to Commit a Battery w/Deadly Weapon or Conspiracy to Commit Battery with Substantial Bodily Harm; Life w/Parole eligibility after 120 months plus equal and consecutive life w/parole eligibility after 120 months for use of Deadly Weapon, Count 2 - Second Degree Murder w/Deadly Weapon. Count 2 concurrent with Count 1

(b) has the sentence been stayed pending appeal?

No

- (c) was defendant admitted to bail pending appeal?
 - No
- 3. Was counsel in the district court appointed _____ or retained ____?

4. Attorney filing this docketing statement:

Attorney Dominic P. Gentile	Telephone (702) 796-5555
Firm: Gordon Silver	

Address: 3960 Howard Hughes Parkway, 9th Floor, Las Vegas, NV 89169

Client(s) Luis A. Hidalgo, Jr.	
5. Is appellate counsel appointed retained ?	
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If this is a joint statement by multiple appellants, add the names and addresses of other counsel on an additional sheet accompanied by a certification that they concur in the filing of this statement.

6. Attorney(s) representing respondent(s):

Attorney Steven S. Owens, Chief Deputy District Attorney Firm: Clark County District Attorney	Telephone (702) 671-2750	
Address: Regional Justice Center, 200 Lewis Avenue, Las Vegas, NV 89155		
Client(s) The State of Nevada		
Attorney Firm:	Telephone	
Address:		

Client(s)

(List additional counsel on separate sheet if necessary)

7. Nature of disposition below:

- Judgment after bench trial
- ☑ Judgment after jury verdict
- □ Judgment upon guilty plea

Grant of pretrial motion to dismiss

- □ Parole/Probation revocation
- \square Motion for new trial

🛛 grant 🛛 denial

☐ Motion to withdraw guilty plea □ grant □ denial

- Grant of pretrial habeas
- □ Grant of motion to suppress evidence □ Post-conviction habeas (NRS ch. 34)

 \Box grant \Box denial

- ☑ Other disposition (specify)
- Motion for Judgment of Acquittal X Denied

13. Issues on appeal. State concisely the principal issue(s) in this appeal:

1. Insufficiency of evidence to determine guilt beyond a reasonable doubt.

2. Failure of Court's instructions to insure due process and a fair trial.

3. Admission of surreptitious tapes against Luis A. Hidalgo, Jr. in violation of both the rules of evidence - hearsay - and the confrontation clause of the state and federal constitutions.

14. Constitutional issues. If the State is not a party and if this appeal challenges the constitutionality of a statute or municipal ordinance, have you notified the clerk of this court and the attorney general in accordance with NRAP 44 and NRS 30.130?

N/A Ves No

If not, explain

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15. **Issues of first-impression or of public interest.** Does this appeal present a substantial legal issue of first-impression in this jurisdiction or one affecting an important public interest?

First-impression: Yes ____ No ____ Public interest: Yes ____ No ____

16. Length of trial. If this action proceeded to trial or evidentiary hearing in the district court, how many days did the trial or evidentiary hearing last?

<u>14</u> days

17. **Oral argument.** Would you object to submission of this appeal for disposition without oral argument?

Yes No

TIMELINESS OF NOTICE OF APPEAL

18. Date district court announced decision, sentence or order appealed from $\frac{06/23/2009}{2009}$

19. Date of entry of written judgment or order appeal from 07/10/2009

(a) If no written judgment or order was filed in the district court, explain the basis for seeking appellate review:

20. If this appeal is from an order granting or denying a petition for a writ of habeas corpus, indicate the date written notice of entry of judgment or order was served by the district court

(a) Was service by delivery _____ or by mail _____

21. If the time for filing the notice of appeal was tolled by a post judgment motion,

(a) Specify the type of motion, and the date of filing of the motion:

Arrest judgment	Date filed
New trial	Date filed
(newly discovered evidence) New trial	Date filed 03/10/2009
(other grounds)	
Judgment of Acquittal	Date Filed: 03/10/2009
	08/04/2009

(b) Date of entry of written order resolving motion 00/0

22. Date notice of appeal filed 07/16/2009

23. Specify statute or rule governing the time limit for filing the notice of appeal, e.g., NRAP 4(b), NRS 34.560, NRS 34.575, NRS 177.015(2), or other

NRAP 4(b)

SUBSTANTIVE APPEALABILITY

24. Specify statute, rule or other authority that grants this court jurisdiction to review from:

NRS 177.015(1)(b)	NRS 34.560
NRS 177.015(1)(c)	NRS 34.575(1)
NRS 177.015(2)	NRS 34.575(2)
NRS 177.015(3)	Other (specify)
NRS 177.055	

VERIFICATION

I certify that the information provided in this docketing statement is true and complete to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Luis A. Hidalgo, Jr.

Dominic P. Gentile

Name of appellant Name of counsel of record Dominic P. 8357 Gentile 08/06/2009 nr Signature of counsel of record Date

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on the <u>6th</u> day of <u>Aug.</u>, 20<u>09</u>, I served a copy of this completed docketing statement upon all counsel of record:

□ by personally serving it upon him/her; or

 \square by mailing it by first class mail with sufficient postage prepaid to the following address(es):

Dated this $\underline{6th}$ day of \underline{August} , 2009.

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Steven S. Owens Chief Deputy District Attorney Regional Justice Center 200 Lewis Avenue Las Vegas, NV 89155