IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

CISILIE A. VAILE,

Petitioner,

vs.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CLARK, AND THE HONORABLE CYNTHIA DIANNE STEEL, DISTRICT JUDGE, FAMILY COURT DIVISION,

Respondents,

and

R. SCOTLUND VAILE,

Real Party in Interest.

No. 36969

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ORDER DIRECTING ANSWER

This original petition for a writ of mandamus and prohibition challenges an order of the district court refusing to make a Hague Convention determination and denying an NRCP 60(b) motion to set aside the divorce decree. Petitioner requests that this court issue a writ requiring the district court to enter an order making a Hague Convention determination, and to prohibit the district court from enforcing the divorce decree and any orders based on the decree.

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 twenty (20) days

from the date of this order within which to file an answer, including authorities, against issuance of the requested writ.

It is so ORDERED.

______, c.j.

¹This court will not grant the real party in interest an extension of time within which to file the answer.