

## SUPREME COURT OF NEVADA

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December 31, 2015

Re: Piroozi, M.C. vs. District Court (Hurst), No. 64946

District Court Case No. A-10-6161728-C

Dear Mr. Cotton:

Enclosed please find the original and one copy of the Writ of Mandamus and one copy of the opinion for service upon Judge James M. Bixler. Please <u>return</u> the <u>original writ</u> with proof of service attached thereto.

Copies of the writ and opinion are enclosed for your files.

Sincerely,

Tiffany Maccagno

Deputy Clerk

Enclosures

cc w/enclosures (writ & opinion):

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## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ALI PIROOZI, M.D., AND MARTIN BLAHNIK, M.D., Petitioners, vs.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CLARK; AND THE HONORABLE JAMES M. BIXLER, DISTRICT JUDGE, Respondents, and TIFFANI D. HURST; BRIAN ABBINGTON, JOINTLY AND ON BEHALF OF THEIR MINOR CHILD, MAYROSE LILI-ABBINGTON HURST, Real Parties in Interest.

No. 64946

## **WRIT OF MANDAMUS**

TO: The Honorable James M. Bixler, Judge of the Eighth Judicial District Court:

WHEREAS, this Court having made and filed its written decision that a writ of mandamus issue,

NOW, THEREFORE, you are directed to vacate the portion of your pretrial order that conflicts with this decision and to enter a new order holding that petitioners may argue to the jury that a portion of Hurst and Abbington's damages was caused by the settled defendants and include those defendants' names on the jury verdict form for the purpose of allocating liability among all defendants, in the case entitled Tiffani D. Hurst and Brian Abbington, jointly and on behalf of their minor child, MayRose Lili-Abbington Hurst vs. Sunrise Hospital and Medical Center,

LLC, Martin Blahnik, M.D., and Ali Piroozi, M.D., case no. A-10-6161728-C.

WITNESS The Honorables James W. Hardesty, Chief Justice, Ron Parraguirre, Nancy M. Saitta, and Kristina Pickering, Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of Nevada, and attested by my hand and seal this 31st day of December, 2015.



Supreme Court Clerk