

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

DONTE JOHNSON,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 65168

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ORDER GRANTING MOTION

Extraordinary circumstances and extreme need having been shown, appellant's motion requesting an extension of time to file the opening brief is granted. NRAP 31(b)(3)(D). Appellant shall have until October 6, 2014, to file and serve the opening brief and appendix. Given the length of this initial extension request, no further extensions shall be permitted absent extraordinary circumstances and extreme need. *Id.* Counsel's caseload normally will not be deemed such a circumstance. *Cf. Varnum v. Grady*, 90 Nev. 374, 528 P.2d 1027 (1974). Failure to timely file the opening brief and appendix may result in the imposition of sanctions.

It is so ORDERED.

Lilbon, C.J.

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