## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MAZEN ALOTAIBI,

Appellant,

V.

THE STATE OF NEVADA,

Respondent.

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CASE NO: 67380

# STATE'S OPPOSITION TO APPELLANT'S REQUEST FOR JUDICIAL NOTICE OR, IN THE ALTERNATIVE, MOTION TO SUPPLEMENT THE RECORD

COMES NOW, the State of Nevada, by STEVEN B. WOLFSON, Clark County District Attorney, through his Deputy, RYAN J. MACDONALD, and files this Opposition to Appellant's Request for Judicial Notice, or in the Alternative, Motion to Supplement the Record. This opposition is filed pursuant to NRAP 27 and 31(d) and is based on the following memorandum and all papers and pleadings on file herein.

Dated this 20<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,

STEVEN B. WOLFSON Clark County District Attorney Nevada Bar #001565

BY

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#### <u>ARGUMENT</u>

In Appellant's pleading, he is requesting for this Court to take judicial notice of the charges brought in Robinson v. State, 110 Nev. 1137, 1139, 881 P.2d 667 (1994), in order to prove that Robinson was charged under the same statute containing the same language which formed the basis for Appellant's charges. However, Nevada Rule of Appellate Procedure 31(d) provides that parties may not raise new points or issues in a supplemental brief or motion, just new authorities. Here, Appellant is trying to raise a new issue, by trying to prove that the charges in Robinson were the same as in the instant case in order to supplement its argument that statutory sexual seduction is a lesser-included offense of sexual assault with a minor under 14 years of age. Not only does the State disagree with this argument, but it is not proper for Appellant to try to expand the record with these exhibits. These cases are *not* identical, and therefore it is not appropriate for Appellant to ask this Court to take judicial notice of Robinson's charges.

However, if this Court were inclined to grant Appellant's request and take judicial notice of the charges, and thus permit him to expand the record, the State respectfully requests that this Court order supplemental briefing regarding the impact of <u>Robinson</u> on Appellant's case pursuant to NRAP 27 and allow the State to respond in kind.

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## **CONCLUSION**

WHEREFORE, the State respectfully requests that this Court deny Appellant's Request for Judicial Notice, or in the Alternative, order Supplemental Briefing on this issue.

Dated this 20<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,

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