IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MACK MASON,

No. 37964

Appellant,

vs.

THE STATE OF NEVADA,

Respondent.

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ORDER GRANTING MOTION

On November 2, 2001, appellant filed a motion requesting a second extension of time to file the opening brief and appendix. Cause appearing, we grant appellant's motion. Appellant shall have until November 28, 2001, to file and serve the opening brief and appendix.

We admonish appellant's counsel, however, that the court disapproves of repeated requests for extensions of time to brief appeals in criminal cases. Consequently, no further extensions of time shall be permitted in the absence of extreme and unforeseeable circumstances. Counsel's caseload will not be deemed such a circumstance. See generally Varnum v. Grady, 90 Nev. 374, 528 P.2d 1027 (1974).

It is so ORDERED.

Maupin, C.J.

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