IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

NORTH LAKE TAHOE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT; AND PUBLIC AGENCY COMPENSATION TRUST,

Appellants,

VS.

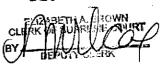
THE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION
OF THE SUBSEQUENT INJURY
ACCOUNT FOR THE ASSOCIATIONS
OF SELF-INSURED PUBLIC OR
PRIVATE EMPLOYERS; AND
ADMINISTRATOR OF THE STATE OF
NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF
BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY, DIVISION
OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS.

Respondents.

No. 70592



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ORDER DENYING MOTION

This is an appeal from an order denying a petition for judicial review and affirming the decision made by respondent Board of Administration of the Subsequent Injury Account for the Associations of Self-Insured Public or Private Employers (Board). Appellants filed their opening brief; the Board filed an answer, which was joined by respondent The State of Nevada Department of Business and Industry, Division of Industrial Relations (Division); and appellants filed a reply. The Board has filed a motion to strike page one of appellants' reply brief on the ground that it improperly challenges the Board's participation in this appeal, and the Division has joined in the motion. We decline to strike page one of the reply brief. To the extent appellants question why the Board took the lead in the answering brief it may be an appropriate topic for a reply brief. See NRAP

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28(c) (providing that reply briefs "must be limited to answering any new matter set forth in the opposing brief"). However, we caution the parties that in resolving this appeal, this court will not consider arguments not properly presented.

It is so ORDERED.

Cherry, C.J.

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