

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

GREGORY ANTHONY WILLIAMS,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 70868

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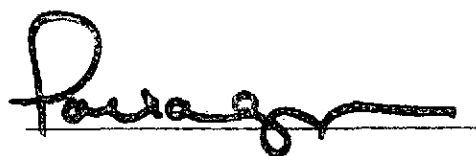
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ORDER GRANTING MOTION

Cause appearing, appellant's motion requesting a second extension of time to file the opening brief is granted. NRAP 31(b)(3)(B). Appellant shall have until February 21, 2017, to file and serve the opening brief and appendix. No further extensions of time shall be permitted absent demonstration of 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.

 C.J.

cc: Clark County Public Defender
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