

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

NORMAN DAVID BELCHER, JR.,  
Appellant,  
vs.  
THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
Respondent.

No. 72325

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*ORDER GRANTING MOTION*

Extraordinary circumstances and extreme need having been shown, appellant's motion requesting a 90-day extension of time to file the opening brief is granted. NRAP 31(b)(3)(D); SCR 250(6)(e). Appellant shall have until December 26, 2017, to file and serve the opening brief. Any additional extensions will be granted only on showing of extraordinary circumstances and extreme need. NRAP 31(b)(3)(D); SCR 250(6)(e). 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 may result in the imposition of sanctions.

It is so ORDERED.

*Cherry*, C.J.

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