

1 **IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**

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4 ELIZABETH C. HOWARD,
5 an individual,

6 Appellant,

7 v.

8 SHAUGHAN L. HUGHES,

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10 Respondent.

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12 ELIZABETH C. HOWARD, an
13 Individual,

14 Appellant,

15 vs.

16 SHAUGHAN L. HUGHES,

17 Respondent

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21 **APPELLANT’S REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO MOTION**

22 Appellant hereby replies to Respondent’s Opposition filed September 19,
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24 2017.

25 On August 31, 2017, Appellant’s Motion to Extend Time to respond to the
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27 Court’s Order to Show Cause was filed. According to the case docket, the
28 Motion remains pending. Consequently, until the August 31st Motion is decided,

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1 any response to the Order to Show Cause would be premature.

2 As declared in the August 31st Motion, the Order to Show Cause was not
3 sent to the primary calendaring email for Appellant's law firm. Thus, counsel
4 did not learn of the Order until it was made an issue in Respondent's Request for
5 Dismissal filed August 31, 2017. Remarkably, the Request for Dismissal was
6 sent to the primary calendaring email. Immediately upon learning of the Order,
7 counsel filed Appellant's Motion to Extend Time. Under such circumstances,
8 the Appeal should not be dismissed but rather adjudicated on its merits.
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12 Huckabay Props. v. NC Auto Parts 322 P.3d 429 (Nev. 2014).
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14 Dated this 25th day of September 2017.
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