

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

HELEN NATKO,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 73048

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ORDER REINSTATING BRIEFING

Because appellant filed the notice of appeal in this case after the verdict was announced, but before sentencing, on June 5, 2017, we suspended the briefing of this appeal and directed the clerk of the district court to inform this court when the judgment of conviction was entered. The district court entered the judgment of conviction on August 10, 2017. We conclude that we have jurisdiction over this appeal. *See George v. State*, 122 Nev. 1, 3, 127 P.3d 1055, 1056 (2006) ("[A] premature notice of appeal filed after the verdict but before sentencing will be treated under NRAP 4(b)[2] as filed after the entry of judgment."); NRS 177.015(3). Accordingly, this court reinstates the briefing of this appeal.

Appellant shall have 120 days from the date of this order to file and serve the opening brief and appendix. Thereafter, briefing shall proceed pursuant to NRAP 31(a)(1).

It is so ORDERED.

Cherry, C.J.

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