

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

INDICATE FULL CAPTION:

JUAN JOSE RODRIGUEZ,  
Appellant,

vs.

THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
Respondent.

No. 73154

**DOCKETING STATEMENTS  
CRIMINAL APPEALS**

(Including appeals from pretrial and post-conviction  
rulings and other requests for post-conviction relief)

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**GENERAL INFORMATION**

Appellants must complete this docketing statement in compliance with NRAP 14(a). The purpose of the docketing statement is to assist the Supreme Court in screening jurisdiction, identifying issues on appeal, assessing presumptive assignment to the Court of Appeals under NRAP 17, scheduling cases for oral argument, classifying cases for expedited treatment and assignment to the Court of Appeals, and compiling statistical information.

**WARNING**

This statement must be completed fully, accurately and on time. NRAP 14(c). The Supreme Court may impose sanctions on counsel or appellant if it appears that the information provided is incomplete or inaccurate. *Id.* Failure to fill out the statement completely or to file it in a timely manner constitutes grounds for the imposition of sanctions.

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1. Judicial District Second County Washoe

Judge Hon. Connie J. Steinheimer District Ct. Case No. CR17-0210

2. If the defendant was given a sentence,

(a) what is the sentence?

A term of 18 to 60 months (with credit for 150 days) plus a consecutive term of 48 to 120 months for an age enhancement; or an aggregate sentence of 66 to 180 months in the Nevada Department of Corrections.

(b) has the sentence been stayed pending appeal?

No

(c) was defendant admitted to bail pending appeal?

No

3. Was counsel in the district court appointed  or retained  ?

4. **Attorney filling this docketing statement:**

Attorney John Reese Petty Telephone (775) 337-4827

Firm Washoe County Public Defender's Office

Address: 350 South Center Street, 5th Floor, P.O. Box 11130, Reno, Nevada 89520-0027.

Client(s) Juan Jose Rodriguez

5. Is appellate counsel appointed  or retained  ?

**If this is a joint statement by multiple appellants, add the names and addresses of other counsel on an additional sheet accompanied by a certification that they concur in the filing of this statement.**

**6. Attorney(s) representing respondent(s):**

Attorney Terrence P. McCarthy Telephone (775) 337-5755

Firm Washoe County District Attorney's Office

Address: One South Sierra Street, 7th Floor, P.O. Box 11130, Reno, Nevada 89520-0027.

Client(s) The State of Nevada

Attorney \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Firm \_\_\_\_\_

Address:

Client(s) \_\_\_\_\_

(List additional counsel on separate sheet if necessary)

**7. Nature of disposition below:**

- Judgment after bench trial
- Judgment after jury verdict
- Judgment upon guilty plea
- Grant of pretrial motion to dismiss
- Parole/probation revocation
- Motion for new trial
  - grant       denial
- Motion to withdraw guilty plea
  - grant       denial
- Grant of pretrial habeas
- Grant of motion to suppress evidence
- Post-conviction habeas (NRS ch. 34)
  - grant       denial
- Other disposition (specify):

**8. Does this appeal raise issues concerning any of the following:**

- death sentence
- life sentence
- juvenile offender
- pretrial proceedings

**9. Expedited appeals:** The court may decide to expedite the appellate process in this matter. Are you in favor of proceeding in such manner?

- Yes
- No

**10. Pending and prior proceedings in this court.** List the case name and docket number of all appeals or original proceedings presently or previously pending before this court which are related to this appeal (e.g., separate appeals by co-defendants, appeal after post-conviction proceedings):

None

**11. Pending and prior proceedings in other courts.** List the case name, number and court of all pending and prior proceedings in other courts that are related to this appeal (e.g., habeas corpus proceedings in state or federal court, bifurcated proceedings against co-defendants):

None

**12. Nature of action.** Briefly describe the nature of the action and the result below:

Mr. Rodriguez pleaded guilty to one count of battery resulting in substantial bodily harm committed against an older person, a category C felony. Under the terms of the negotiations the parties were free to argue for an appropriate sentence. The district court imposed a prison term.

13. **Issues on appeal.** State specifically all issues in this appeal (attach separate sheets as necessary):

Did the district court abuse its sentencing discretion?

14. **Constitutional issues:** If the State is not a party and if this appeal challenges the constitutionality of a statute or municipal ordinance, have you notified the clerk of this court and the attorney general in accordance with NRAP 44 and NRS 30.130?

N/A

Yes

No

If not, explain:

**15. Assignment to the Court of Appeals or retention in the Supreme Court.** Briefly set forth whether the matter is presumptively retained by the Supreme Court or assigned to the Court of Appeals under NRAP 17, and cite the subparagraph(s) of the Rule under which the matter falls. If appellant believes that the Supreme Court should retain the case despite its presumptive assignment to the Court of Appeals, identify the specific issue(s) or circumstance(s) that warrant retaining the case, and include an explanation of their importance or significance:

This appeal is presumptively assigned to the Nevada Court of Appeal under NRAP 17(b)(1) because it is an appeal from a conviction based on a guilty plea.

**16. Issues of first impression or of public interest.** Does this appeal present a substantial legal issue of first impression in this jurisdiction or one affecting an important public interest?

First impression:  Yes  No

Public interest:  Yes  No

**17. Length of trial.** If this action proceeded to trial or evidentiary hearing in the district court, how many days did the trial or evidentiary hearing last?

0 days

**18. Oral argument.** Would you object to submission of this appeal for disposition without oral argument?

Yes  No

**TIMELINESS OF NOTICE OF APPEAL**

19. Date district court announced decision, sentence or order appealed from Apr 25, 2017

20. Date of entry of written judgment or order appealed from Apr 25, 2017

(a) If no written judgment or order was filed in the district court, explain the basis for seeking appellate review:

21. If this appeal is from an order granting or denying a petition for a writ of habeas corpus, indicate the date written notice of entry of judgment or order was served by the district court

(a) Was service by delivery  or by mail

22. If the time for filing the notice of appeal was tolled by a post judgment motion,

(a) Specify the type of motion, and the date of filing of the motion:

Arrest judgment \_\_\_\_\_ Date filed \_\_\_\_\_

New trial (newly discovered evidence) \_\_\_\_\_ Date filed \_\_\_\_\_

New trial (other grounds) \_\_\_\_\_ Date filed \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Date of entry of written order resolving motion \_\_\_\_\_

23. Date notice of appeal filed May 25, 2017

24. Specify statute or rule governing the time limit for filing the notice of appeal, e.g., NRAP 4(b), NRS 34.560, NRS 34.575, NRS 177.015(2), or other

NRAP 4(b)

**SUBSTANTIVE APPEALABILITY**

25. Specify statute, rule or other authority that grants this court jurisdiction to review from:

|                               |                       |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| NRS 177.015(1)(b) _____       | NRS 34.560 _____      |
| NRS 177.015(1)(c) _____       | NRS 34.575(1) _____   |
| NRS 177.015(2) _____          | NRS 34.560(2) _____   |
| NRS 177.015(3) <u>X</u> _____ | Other (specify) _____ |
| NRS 177.055 _____             |                       |

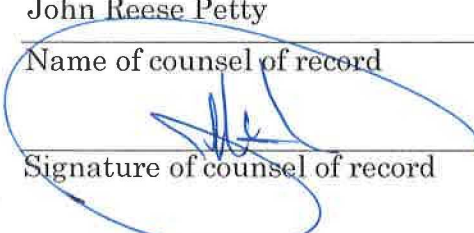
**VERIFICATION**

**I certify that the information provided in this docketing statement is true and complete to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.**

Juan Jose Rodriguez  
Name of appellant

John Reese Petty  
Name of counsel of record

Jul 18, 2017  
Date

  
Signature of counsel of record

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

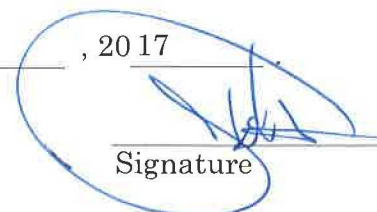
I certify that on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2017, I served a copy of this completed docketing statement upon all counsel of record:

By personally serving it upon him/her; or

By mailing it by first class mail with sufficient postage prepaid to the following address(es):

\*via this Court's eflex filing system's Master Service List.

Dated this 18th day of July, 2017

  
Signature