IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JAMES MCNAMEE,
Petitioner,
vs.
THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN
AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CLARK;
AND THE HONORABLE DOUGLAS
SMITH, DISTRICT JUDGE,
Respondents,
and
GIANN BIANCHI; AND DARA
DELPRIORE,
Real Parties in Interest.

No. 76904

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ORDER DIRECTING ANSWER

This original petition for a writ of mandamus challenges district court orders denying a motion to dismiss and appointing a special administrator to substitute in as the defendant in the underlying action. Having reviewed the petition, it appears that an answer may assist this court in resolving this matter. Therefore, real parties in interest, on behalf of respondents, shall have 30 days from the date of this order within which to file and serve an answer, including authorities, against issuance of the

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requested writ. NRAP 21(b)(1). Thereafter, petitioner shall have 15 days from service of real parties in interest's answer to file any reply to the answer.

It is so ORDERED.

Pickerug, A.C.J.

cc: Hon. Douglas Smith, District Judge
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