IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

TRUDI LEE LYTLE; AND JOHN ALLEN LYTLE, AS TRUSTEES OF THE LYTLE TRUST.

Appellants,

VS.

SEPTEMBER TRUST, DATED MARCH 23, 1972; GERRY R. ZOBRIST: JOLIN G. ZOBRIST, AS TRUSTEES OF THE GERRY R. ZOBRIST AND JOLIN G. ZOBRIST FAMILY TRUST; RAYNALDO G. SANDOVAL: JULIE MARIE SANDOVAL GEGEN, AS TRUSTEES OF THE RAYNALDO G. AND EVELYN A. SANDOVAL JOINT LIVING TRUST AND DEVOLUTION TRUST DATED MAY 27, 1992: DENNIS A. GEGEN: AND JULIE S. GEGEN, HUSBAND AND WIFE, AS JOINT TENANTS.

TRUDI LEE LYTLE: JOHN ALLEN LYTLE: AND LYTLE TRUST.

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Respondents.

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MAY 27, 1992; DENNIS A. GEGEN; AND JULIE S. GEGEN, HUSBAND AND WIFE, AS JOINT TENANTS, Respondents.

ORDER DENYING MOTION

Appellants have filed a motion for a third extension of time to file the opening brief in Docket No. 77007. In support of the motion, appellants assert that the district court is scheduled to hear a motion for reconsideration of the order challenged in that appeal on May 16, 2019. Respondents oppose the motion and appellants have filed a reply. Having considered these documents, this court is not convinced that appellants demonstrate extraordinary circumstances and extreme need warranting a third extension of time. See NRAP 31(b)(3)(B). In particular, it is not clear that the district court is actually scheduled to hear any motion for reconsideration on May 16, 2019. Moreover, this court is not willing to delay briefing any longer based on the possibility that the current district court judge may be inclined to reconsider the order. Accordingly, the motion is denied.

Appellants shall have 14 days from the date of this order to file and serve the opening brief in Docket No. 77007. No further extensions of time shall be permitted absent demonstration of extraordinary circumstances and extreme need. *Id.* 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 and appendix may

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result in the imposition of sanctions, including the dismissal of the appeal in Docket No. 77007.

It is so ORDERED.

Hillow, C.J.

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