

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MICHAEL LUIS COTA,  
Appellant,  
vs.  
THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
Respondent.

No. 77414

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*ORDER GRANTING MOTION*

Cause appearing, the motion to consolidate these appeals and for an extension of time to file the opening brief is granted. NRAP 3(b)(2); NRAP 31(b)(3)(B). These appeals shall be consolidated for all appellate purposes. Appellant shall have until May 14, 2019, to file and serve a single opening brief and appendix in these consolidated appeals. Given the length of this initial extension request, no further extensions shall be permitted absent extraordinary circumstances and extreme need. NRAP 31(b)(3)(B). 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 result in the imposition of sanctions.

It is so ORDERED.

 C.J.

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