IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

SAMMIE NUNN,

Appellant,

vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA.

Respondent.

ORDER

No. 80121

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Respondent has filed a motion to strike portions of appellant's opening brief that challenge the district court's order denying his petition for a writ of habeas corpus, arguing that appellant did not designate the order in his notice of appeal. Appellant opposes the motion, and respondent has filed a reply. In addition, respondent has filed an unopposed motion for an extension of time to file its answering brief.

The arguments regarding appellant's notice of the appeal are best decided concurrently with resolution of this appeal. See Crabtree v. State, Docket Nos. 76166 & 76167 (Order of Affirmance, June 17, 2019) (rejecting arguments outside the scope of appeal concurrently with resolution of issues properly raised on appeal). Accordingly, respondent's motion to strike is denied without prejudice to raising its arguments in its answering brief.

Respondent's motions for an extension of time to file its answering brief are granted. NRAP 31(b)(3)(B). Respondent shall have until September 25, 2020, to file and serve its answering brief. Failure to comply may result in the imposition of sanctions. NRAP 31(d).

It is so ORDERED.

Pickering, C.J

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