IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

BARRY JAMES RIVES, M.D.; AND LAPAROSCOPIC SURGERY OF NEVADA, LLC,

Appellants/Cross-Respondents,

VS.

TITINA FARRIS; AND PATRICK FARRIS,

Respondents/Cross-Appellants.
BARRY JAMES RIVES, M.D.; AND
LAPAROSCOPIC SURGERY OF
NEVADA, LLC,

Appellants,

VS.

TITINA FARRIS; AND PATRICK FARRIS,

Respondents.

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ORDER GRANTING MOTION

Extraordinary circumstances and extreme need having been shown, the motion for a third extension of time to file the combined brief is granted. NRAP 31(b)(3)(B). Respondents/cross-appellants shall have until February 24, 2021, to file and serve the combined answering brief on appeal and opening brief on cross-appeal. 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 comply with this order may result in the imposition of sanctions, including

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resolution of the appeals without an answering brief from respondents and dismissal of the cross-appeal. NRAP 31(d).

It is so ORDERED.

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