IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

THE STATE OF NEVADA
DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION,
Petitioner,
vs.
THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF
CLARK; AND THE HONORABLE
ELIZABETH GOFF GONZALEZ,
DISTRICT JUDGE,
Respondents,
and
NEVADA WELLNESS CENTER, LLC,
Real Party in Interest.

No. 80637

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CLERK OF SUPREME COURT

BY

DEPUTY CLERK

ORDER DIRECTING EXPEDITED ANSWER AND IMPOSING TEMPORARY STAY

This emergency petition for a writ of mandamus or prohibition challenges a February 7, 2020, district court order granting, in part, a motion to compel the discovery of personal cell phones. The order requires petitioner to immediately produce former workers' cell phones and all information obtained therefrom.

Having reviewed the petition and supporting documents, we conclude that an answer may assist this court in resolving the petition. Therefore, real party in interest, on behalf of respondents, shall have 7 days from the date of this order within which to file and serve an answer, including authorities, against issuance of the requested writ. NRAP 21(b)(1). Petitioner shall have 4 days from service of the answer to file and serve any reply. No extensions of time will be granted absent compelling circumstances identified in a written motion.

We temporarily stay enforcement of the district court's February 7 order pending our receipt and consideration of any opposition to the stay and further order of this court. Any opposition to the stay must be filed and served within 7 days from the date of this order.

It is so ORDERED.1

Parraguirre J

Hardesty J.

Cadish J.

cc: Hon. Elizabeth Goff Gonzalez, District Judge Attorney General/Carson City Attorney General/Las Vegas Parker, Nelson & Associates Eighth District Court Clerk

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¹For purposes of this order, the provisions of NRAP 25(a)(2)(B)(ii), (iii), and (iv), which provide that a document is timely filed if, on or before its due date, it is mailed to this court, dispatched for delivery by a third party commercial carrier, or deposited in the Supreme Court drop box, are suspended for purposes of complying with this order. See NRAP 2. Accordingly, all documents shall be filed personally or by facsimile or electronic transmission with the clerk of this court in Carson City.