IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JUSTIN ODELL LANGFORD,
              Appellant,
vs.
RENEE BAKER, WARDEN,
              Respondent.

No. 83032

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CLERK OF SUPREME COURT
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ORDER DIRECTING ENTRY AND TRANSMISSION OF WRITTEN ORDER

This is a pro se appeal from a district court order denying a postconviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus. Appellant filed the notice of appeal on June 3, 2021. Based on this court's review of the district court minute entries, it appears that the district court orally denied the petition on May 19, 2021. It further appears, however, that a written order denying the petition has not been entered in this matter. *See* NRAP 4(b)(5)(B). A copy of the written order is essential to a determination of this court's jurisdiction to consider this appeal.[1] Accordingly, the district court shall have 60 days from the date of this order to (1) enter a written order, (2) inform this court in writing that it is reconsidering its decision, or (3)

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[1]Prior to the entry of a final written judgment and the timely filing of a notice of appeal, the district court technically retains jurisdiction over appellant's case. *See Bradley v. State*, 109 Nev. 1090, 1094-95, 864 P.2d 1272, 1275 (1993). In a criminal case, a notice of appeal filed after announcement of the decision, but before entry of the written judgment or order, is deemed to have been filed after such entry and on the day thereof. NRAP 4(b)(2).

inform this court in writing that additional time is needed to enter the written order. In the event the district court enters a written order (or has already entered a written order of which this court is unaware), the clerk of the district court shall immediately transmit a certified copy of the order to the clerk of this court.

It is so ORDERED.

_____, C.J.

cc: Hon. Jasmin D. Lilly-Spells, District Judge
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