

Case No. 84081

Supreme Court of Nevada

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Elizabeth A. Brown  
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Zane Michael Floyd,

Appellant,

vs.

The State of Nevada Department of  
Corrections, Charles Daniels,  
Director, Department of  
Corrections; and Ihsan Azzam,  
Chief Medical Officer of The State  
of Nevada,

Appellee.

**Dismissal agreement as to  
Defendant/Appellee Ihsan  
Azzam, M.D.**

DEATH PENALTY CASE

Appellant Zane M. Floyd, through counsel, David Anthony, and Brad Levenson, Assistant Federal Public Defenders, and Appellee Ihsan Azzam, M.D., through counsel, Crane Pomerantz and Nadia Ahmed, stipulate and agree to voluntary dismissal of Defendant Azzam from the instant appeal as stated in this dismissal agreement. NRAP 42(b).<sup>1</sup>

Each side will bear its own costs.

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<sup>1</sup> Mr. Floyd still intends to prosecute this appeal against the Defendants from the Nevada Department of Corrections (NDOC).

Dated this 18th day of May, 2022

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I meant to send this yesterday – no problem with the stipulation of dismissal. You have permission to use our electronic signature.

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Crane and Nadia:

Attached is a dismissal agreement under NRAP 42(b) as to Dr. Azzam. As we discussed, the dismissal agreement states that each side will bear its own costs. Please let me know if this looks acceptable to file on your end and to affix your electronic signatures.

Thanks.

Dave

## Certificate of Electronic Service

I hereby certify that on May 18, 2022, I electronically filed the foregoing document with the Nevada Supreme Court by using the appellate electronic filing system. The following participants in the case will be served by the electronic filing system:

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