

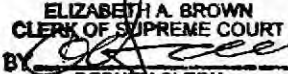
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ALBERTO TORRES CARO,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 84151

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

This is an appeal from a judgment of conviction. This appeal is subject to this court's criminal fast track under NRAP 3C. *See* NRAP 3C(a). Appellant was represented in the district court by attorney William J. Routsis, II, however, appellant filed his notice of appeal pro se. *See* NRAP 3C(b)(2) (requiring trial counsel to, among other things, file the notice of appeal). Review of this appeal reveals a jurisdictional defect.

Specifically, the notice of appeal appears to be untimely. The judgment of conviction was entered on December 21, 2021. However, the notice of appeal was not filed by appellant until January 24, 2022, 4 days after the expiration of the 30-day appeal period prescribed by NRAP 4(b). "[A]n untimely notice of appeal fails to vest jurisdiction in this court." *Lozada v. State*, 110 Nev. 349, 352, 871 P.2d 944, 946 (1994). Accordingly, Mr. Routsis shall have 21 days from the date of this order to show cause why this appeal should not be dismissed for lack of jurisdiction. Respondent shall have 14 days from the filing of any response to file any reply. The deadlines for filing documents are suspended until further order of this court.

It is so ORDERED.

 C.J.

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