

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**

MICHAEL TRACY MCLAUGHLIN,

Appellant,

v.

THE STATE OF NEVADA,

Respondent

Case No. 84592

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**RESPONSE TO COURT ORDER RE: NOTICE OF APPEAL LOG**

The Office of the Attorney General respectfully responds to this Court's May 9, 2022 Order in Case No. 84592, to provide "a certified copy of the notice of appeal log maintained at the prison indicating the actual date upon which appellant delivered to a prison official his notices of appeal." Order at 2.

Attached is the Declaration of Kheila Brice. Ms. Brice is law library supervisor for the Nevada Department of Corrections' Southern Desert Correctional Center. She provided the attached declaration in response to a request from the Nevada Attorney General's Office.

This response will serve as full compliance with this Court's May 9, 2022 order.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 2nd day of June, 2022

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that I am an employee of the Office of the Attorney General and that on this 2nd day of June, 2022, I served a copy of the foregoing **RESPONSE TO COURT ORDER RE: NOTICE OF APPEAL LOG**, by placing said document in the U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to:

Michael McLaughlin #83193  
Southern Desert Correctional Center  
P.O. Box 208  
Indian Springs, NV 89018

/s/ Brittany J. \_\_\_\_\_

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**DECLARATION OF KHEILA BRICE**

I, Kheila Brice, being first duly sworn, depose and state under penalty of perjury, as follows:

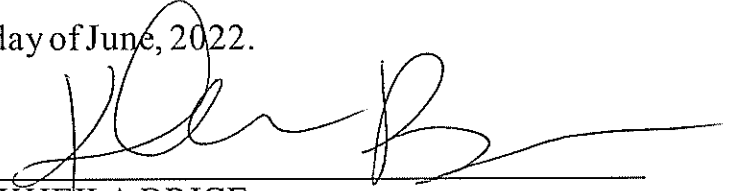
1. I am employed by the Nevada Department of Corrections (NDOC), assigned to the Southern Desert Correctional Center (SDCC) as the law library supervisor.
2. As part of my duties, I have knowledge of the log procedures for notices of appeal and legal mail.
3. If an inmate indicates that outgoing mail contains a notice of appeal, on the date the mail is presented, the inmate is instructed to enter their information on the SDCC "Notice of Appeal Log." At the request of the Office of the Attorney General, I examined the SDCC "Notice of Appeal Log" for the period March, 2022

and April, 2022. I was specifically looking for any log entries by inmate Michael McLaughlin, NDOC #83193.

4. SDCC's notice of appeal log for the timeframe noted above did not disclose any notice of appeal submitted by McLaughlin.

Pursuant to NRS 53.045, Declarant herein certifies, under penalty of perjury, that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed this 2 day of June, 2022.

  
KHEILA BRICE