

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MOISES A. LEYVA; AND DARREN J.
LACH, ESQ.,

Appellants,

vs.

QBE INSURANCE COMPANY; AND
ERIC BLANK INJURY ATTORNEYS,
Respondents.

No. 84627

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

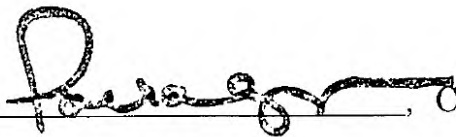
This is an appeal from a district court order granting a motion for reconsideration of an order adjudicating an attorney lien. Initial review of the docketing statement and documents before this court reveals a potential jurisdictional defect.

Appellant states in the docketing statement that the order is appealable as a final judgment under NRAP 3A(b)(1). “[A] final judgment is one that disposes of all the issues presented in the case, and leaves nothing for the future consideration of the court, except for post-judgment issues such as attorney’s fees and costs.” *Lee v. GNLV Corp.*, 116 Nev. 424, 426, 996 P.2d 416, 417 (2000). The challenged order does not resolve any issues presented in the complaint or the complaint in intervention and is thus not a final judgment. It further appears that the complaint and complaint in intervention remain pending in the district court where no written order formally resolves those complaints. And no statute or court rule authorizes an appeal from a pre-judgment order granting a motion for reconsideration of an order adjudicating an attorney lien. It thus appears that the challenged order is not substantively appealable. *See Brown v. MHC Stagecoach, LLC*, 129 Nev. 343, 345, 301 P.3d 850, 851 (2013) (this court “may only consider appeals authorized by statute or court rule”).

Accordingly, appellants shall have 30 days from the date of this order to show cause why this appeal should not be dismissed for lack of jurisdiction. In responding to this order, in addition to points and authorities, appellants should provide this court with a copy of any written, file-stamped district court order(s) formally resolving the claims asserted in the complaint and complaint in intervention. Respondents may file any reply within 14 days of service of appellants' response. Failure to demonstrate that this court has jurisdiction may result in the dismissal of this appeal.

Briefing of this appeal is suspended pending further order of this court. This court defers ruling on respondent Eric Blank Injury Attorneys' motion to dismiss this appeal pending resolution of the issue raised in this order to show cause.¹

It is so ORDERED.

, C.J.

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¹On July 7, 2022, the parties filed a stipulation for an extension of time. Because the stipulation is not signed by counsel of record for respondent QBE Insurance Company, the stipulation is treated as a joint motion for an extension of time and granted as such. See NRAP 25(a)(5), 26(b)(2). Appellants' opposition to the motion to dismiss was filed on July 11, 2022.