IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ALEXANDER FALCONI DBA OUR NEVADA JUDGES

Petitioner.

vs.

CLARK COUNTY EIGTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT,

Respondent.

Supreme Court No: 84947

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MOTION FOR STAY OF BRIEFING ON MOTION TO INTERVENE

This is an original writ proceeding initiated through a petition for writ of mandamus or in the alternative prohibition and complaint for declaratory and injunctive relief filed by Alexander Falconi D/B/A Our Nevada Judges on June 29, 2022. Under NRAP 21(b)(1), this Court can deny the petition or order Respondent to answer.

This Court has not yet issued an order under NRAP 21(b)(1). But the Las Vegas Review Journal moved to intervene on July 25, 2022. Additionally, two *pro se* individuals, Ali Shahrokhi and T. Matthew Phillips, filed a notice indicating their intent to file a motion for intervention.

Respondents are unaware if there is any need for them to respond to a motion to intervene filed prior to this Court determining whether an answer to the petition is warranted. However, Respondents file this motion seeking a stay on briefing the motion to intervene out of an abundance of caution. It makes little sense for this Court to address the issue of intervention prior to determining whether to deny the petition or order an answer under NRAP 21(b)(1). And this Court, of course, has inherent authority to control its internal affairs, including the control of its calendar and docket. *See*, *e.g.*, *Moore v. Cherry*, 90 Nev. 390, 393, 528 P.2d 1018, 1020 (1974).

Accordingly, Respondent respectfully requests that this Court exercise its inherent authority to control its calendar and docket by issuing an order staying briefing of the Las Vegas Review Journal's motion to intervene and any subsequent motion filed by Ali Shahrokhi and T. Matthew Phillips until after this Court has determined whether to deny the petition or order an answer under NRAP 21(b)(1).

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 29th day of July 2022.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I am an employee of the State of Nevada Office of the Attorney General and that on this 29th day of July 2022, I filed and served the foregoing MOTION FOR STAY OF BRIEFING ON MOTION TO INTERVENE with the Clerk of the Court of the Supreme Court of Nevada. Registered parties will be served electronically.

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