

EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF THE

ASSIGNMENT OF PROCEEDINGS
TO CHANGE THE NAMES OF
PERSONS PURSUANT TO NRS 41.270
IN THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COURT

ADMINISTRATIVE
ORDER 2011-02

WHEREAS the Nevada Supreme Court issued a decision in Landreth v. Malik, 125 Nev. Adv. Op. 61, 221 P.3d 1265 (2009), on December 24, 2009.

WHEREAS in that decision the Nevada Supreme Court concluded that NRS 3.223 prescribes the jurisdiction of the family court, and since that case involved a matter not enumerated in NRS 3.223, the family court lacked subject matter jurisdiction to enter judgment.

WHEREAS subsequent to Landreth v. Malik, 125 Nev. Adv. Op. 61,

Administrative Order 2010-06 was entered reassigning name changes for adults to the civil/criminal division.

WHEREAS the Honorable Donald Mosley, District Court, Department 14, was assigned the adult name change petitions pursuant to Administrative Order 2010-6.

WHEREAS a Petition for Rehearing of Landreth v. Malik, 125 Nev. Adv. Op. 61, was heard and the Nevada Supreme Court issued a decision in Landreth v. Malik, 127 Nev. Adv. Op. No. 16 on May 12, 2011. In that decision the prior opinion in Landreth v. Malik, 125 Nev. Adv. Op. 61 was withdrawn and reversed.

WHEREAS the family court division has been assigned these case types from 1993 up until Administrative Order 2010-06 was entered assigning them to the civil/criminal division.

Therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Administrative Order No. 2010-06 entered on April 5, 2010 is vacated.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that petitions for the Proceedings to Change Names of Persons pursuant to NRS 41.270, (non-minors), shall be reassigned back to the family court division of the district court and randomly reassigned.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Administrative Order shall be effective immediately.

DATED this 16 day of June, 2011.

6/16/11 Date

Jennifer Togliatti, Chief District Court Judge