

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

SCOTT V. RULAND,  
Petitioner,

vs.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF  
CLARK, AND THE HONORABLE  
STEWART L. BELL, DISTRICT JUDGE,  
Respondents,

and

CATHERINE M. PROBERT,  
Real Party in Interest.

No. 43052

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ORDER DENYING PETITION FOR  
WRIT OF MANDAMUS OR PROHIBITION

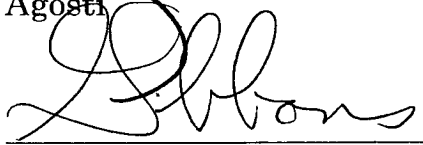
This proper person original petition for a writ of mandamus or prohibition seeks to stop the proceedings in District Court Case No. A449565.

We have considered the petition, and we are not satisfied that this court's intervention by way of extraordinary relief is warranted.<sup>1</sup> Accordingly, we deny the petition.<sup>2</sup>

It is so ORDERED.<sup>3</sup>

 \_\_\_\_\_, J.  
Becker

 \_\_\_\_\_, J.  
Agosti

 \_\_\_\_\_, J.  
Gibbons

cc: Hon. Stewart L. Bell, District Judge  
Darrell Lincoln Clark  
Scott V. Ruland  
Clark County Clerk

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<sup>1</sup>See NRAP 21(a) (stating that a writ petition must contain “copies of any order or opinion or parts of the record which may be essential to an understanding of the matters set forth in the petition”); Pan v. Dist. Ct., 120 Nev. \_\_\_, 88 P.3d 840 (2004) (observing that a failure to comply with NRAP 21(a)'s requirements justifies writ denial, as does the availability of an appeal after a final judgment); NRS 34.170; NRS 34.330.

<sup>2</sup>See NRAP 21(b).

<sup>3</sup>Petitioner's failure to pay the filing fee constitutes an independent basis on which to deny writ relief.