

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

STEVEN L. SCOTT,
Petitioner,

vs.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF
CLARK, THE HONORABLE JOHN S.
MCGROARTY, DISTRICT JUDGE,
Respondents,
and
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Real Party in Interest.

No. 44683

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ORDER DENYING PETITION

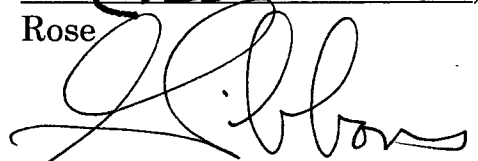
This is a proper person petition for a writ of certiorari. Petitioner argues that the district court exceeded its jurisdiction in adjudicating him a habitual criminal because the criminal information did not include a habitual criminal count. "A writ of certiorari is an extraordinary remedy and the decision to entertain a petition for a writ of certiorari lies within the discretion of this court."¹ We have considered the


¹Zamarripa v. District Court, 103 Nev. 638, 640, 747 P.2d 1386, 1387 (1987).

petition on file herein, and we are not satisfied that this court's intervention by way of extraordinary relief is warranted.² Accordingly, we

ORDER the petition DENIED.


_____, J.
Rose


_____, J.
Gibbons


_____, J.
Hardesty

cc: Hon. John S. McGroarty, District Judge
Steven L. Scott
Attorney General Brian Sandoval/Carson City
Clark County District Attorney David J. Roger
Clark County Clerk

²See NRS 34.020.