

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JOHN LUCKETT,
Petitioner,

vs.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF
CLARK, AND THE HONORABLE
KATHY A. HARDCASTLE, DISTRICT
JUDGE,

Respondents,

and

BARRICK GAMING CORPORATION,
Real Party in Interest.

No. 45268

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ORDER DENYING PETITION

This proper person petition for “emergency writ” relief challenges certain actions allegedly taken in underlying district court proceedings. In particular, petitioner seeks from this court an order directing the district court to continue a hearing scheduled for May 24, 2005, on real party in interest’s motion to dismiss and enjoining Judge Hardcastle from taking any actions in the matter.

We have considered this petition, and we conclude that extraordinary relief is not warranted in this instance. Accordingly, we deny this petition.¹

It is so ORDERED.²


Maupin, J.


Gibbons, J.


Hardesty, J.

cc: Hon. Kathy A. Hardcastle, District Judge
Hon. Kenneth Cory, District Judge
John Lockett
Clark County Clerk

¹NRAP 21(b); Smith v. District Court, 107 Nev. 674, 818 P.2d 849 (1991).

²Petitioner's request for leave to proceed in forma pauperis is denied as moot; nevertheless, we note that petitioner's failure to pay the filing constitutes an additional basis for denying this petition. See NRAP 21(e).