

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MAIGA HRALIMA,  
Petitioner,  
vs.  
WARDEN, NORTHERN NEVADA  
CORRECTIONAL CENTER, DON  
HELLING,  
Respondent.

No. 46645

**FILED**

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JANETTE M. BLOOM  
CLERK OF SUPREME COURT  
BY *J. Edwards*  
CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK

ORDER DENYING PETITION

This is a proper person petition for a writ of habeas corpus. Petitioner challenges the validity of his judgment of conviction and sentence. We conclude that this court's intervention is not warranted. A challenge to the validity of a judgment of conviction and sentence should be raised in a post-conviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed in the district court in the first instance.<sup>1</sup> Petitioner may then appeal to this court from a final, adverse order.<sup>2</sup> Accordingly, we

ORDER the petition DENIED.

*Maupin* J.  
Maupin

*Gibbons* J.  
Gibbons

*Hardesty* J.  
Hardesty

<sup>1</sup>See NRS 34.724(2)(b); NRS 34.738(1). We express no opinion as to whether petitioner could satisfy the procedural requirements of NRS chapter 34.

<sup>2</sup>See NRS 34.575(1).

cc: Hon. Jerome Polaha, District Judge  
Maiga Hralima  
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Washoe District Court Clerk