## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

## LANCE DEON HAWES, Petitioner, vs.

THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE, THE HONORABLE JEROME M. POLAHA, DISTRICT JUDGE AND WASHOE COUNTY CLERK, Respondents.

No. 47079 FILED MAY-19 2006

## **ORDER DENYING PETITION**

This is a proper person petition for a writ of mandamus. Petitioner asserts that he filed a proper person post-conviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus in the district court on August 23, 2005. Petitioner claims that his petition has not been acted upon in the district court.

On April 24, 2006, this court directed the State to inform this court whether a petition was pending in the district court, and, if so, what action had been taken on the petition. The State informs this court that a petition was filed in the district court on August 23, 2005, and that no action has been taken on the petition.

We have considered the documents presented to this court, and we conclude that extraordinary relief is not warranted at this time.

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We are confident that the district court will conduct proceedings on the petition as expeditiously as its calendar permits. Accordingly, we

ORDER the petition DENIED.<sup>1</sup>

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J. Hardesty

cc: Hon. Jerome Polaha, District Judge Lance Deon Hawes Attorney General George Chanos/Carson City Washoe County District Attorney Richard A. Gammick Washoe District Court Clerk

<sup>1</sup>We have received all proper person documents submitted in this matter, and we conclude that the relief is not warranted for the reason set forth above.

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