IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ALEXANDER OCASIO, Petitioner,

VS.

WARDEN, SOUTHERN DESERT CORRECTIONAL CENTER, SHERMAN HATCHER,

Respondent.

No. 47652

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ORDER DENYING PETITION

This is a proper person petition for a writ of habeas corpus. Petitioner challenges the validity of his judgment of conviction. We have reviewed the documents before this court, and we conclude that extraordinary relief is not warranted. A challenge to the validity of the judgment of conviction must be raised in a post-conviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed in the district court in the first instance.¹ Petitioner may then appeal from a final, written order of the court.² Accordingly, we

ORDER the petition DENIED.3

Douglas, J.

Becker, J.

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¹See NRS 34.724; NRS 34.738(1).

²See NRS 34.575(1).

³We have received all proper person documents submitted in this matter, and we conclude that no relief is warranted for the reason set forth above. We deny as most the motion to withdraw the petition.

SUPREME COURT OF NEVADA

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J.

cc: Hon. Joseph T. Bonaventure, District Judge Alexander Ocasio Attorney General George Chanos/Carson City Clark County District Attorney David J. Roger Clark County Clerk