

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JEFFREY JEFFERSON,  
Petitioner,  
vs.  
THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
Respondent.

No. 49758

**FILED**

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ORDER DENYING PETITION

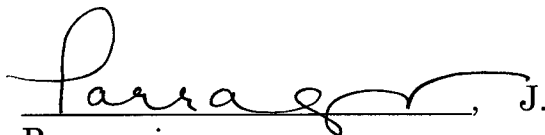
This is a proper person petition for an extraordinary writ. Citing to Article 6, Section 4 of the Nevada Constitution, petitioner challenges the validity of his judgment of conviction.

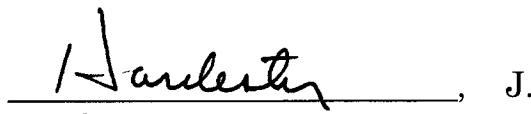
This court has held that it "will not exercise its original jurisdiction to consider a writ petition in a criminal case raising claims that could or should have been raised in an appeal or in an appropriate post-conviction proceeding in the district court."<sup>1</sup> We have reviewed the documents before this court, and we decline to exercise this court's original jurisdiction in this matter. A challenge to the validity of the judgment of conviction must be raised in a post-conviction petition for a writ of habeas


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<sup>1</sup>Hosier v. State, 121 Nev. 409, 411, 117 P.3d 212, 213 (2005).

corpus filed in the district court in the first instance.<sup>2</sup> Accordingly, we  
ORDER the petition DENIED.

  
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cc: Hon. Donald M. Mosley, District Judge  
Jeffrey Jefferson  
Attorney General Catherine Cortez Masto/Carson City  
Clark County District Attorney David J. Roger  
Eighth District Court Clerk

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